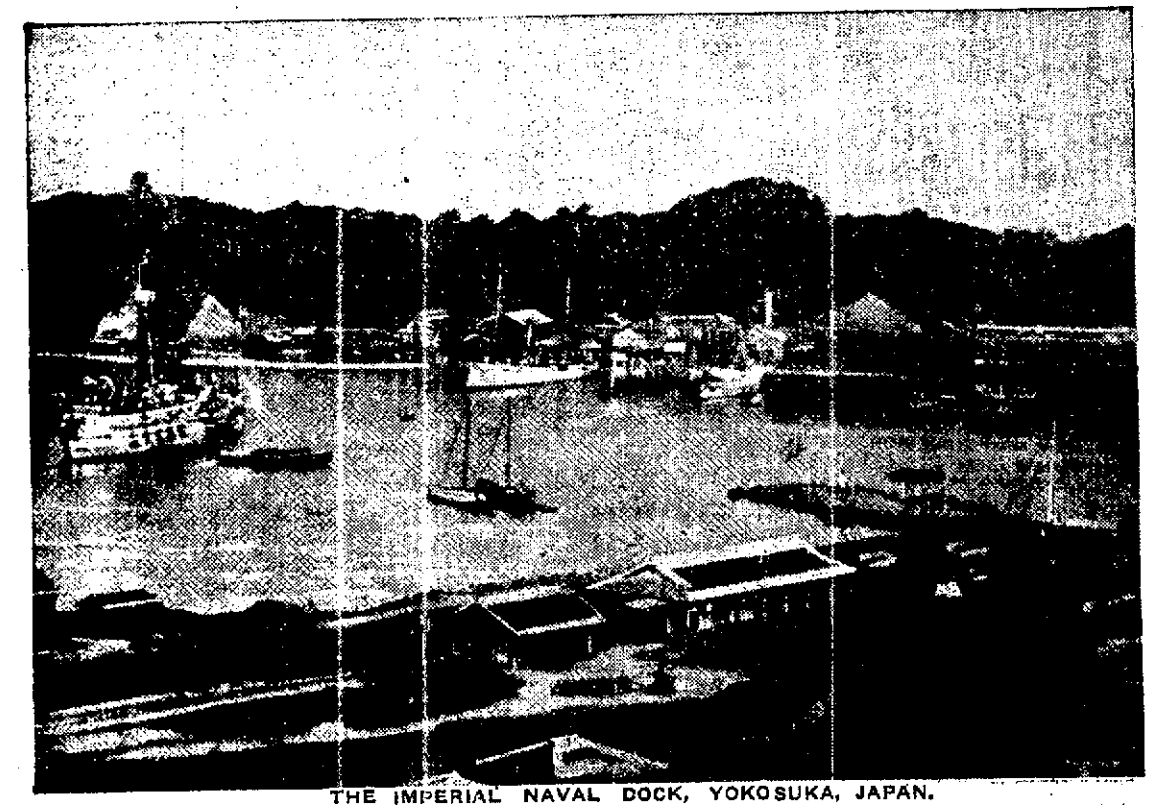


STEAMER FOUNDERS ON SOUND JAPAN GIVES FINAL ANSWER

JAPAN'S FINAL ANSWER IS SENT TO THE CZAR.



THE IMPERIAL NAVAL DOCK, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN.

Attitude of the Americans and British Greatly Encourages the Japanese War Spirit.

TOKIO, January 9.—Japan addressed a note to Russia today through Minister de Rosen. Its character has not been disclosed, but it is said that Japan requires an answer within a given number of days. Whether the note mentions the time, making the document an ultimatum, or whether the time is limited otherwise, is unknown.

The Government, however, is determined to secure an early reply and close the discussion.

It is understood that Japan adheres closely to her original contention, and it is believed that if Russia fails to fairly meet the demands war will ensue.

The attitude of the British and Americans greatly encourages the Japanese war spirit, which is stronger than ever.

No Intervention.

ST. PETERSBURG, January 9.—The suggestion of the intervention of other powers in the Far Eastern situation is regarded as premature in diplomatic circles here. It is pointed out that the Russo-Japanese negotiations are not broken off. The opinion here is that any proposition of intervention would be useless and probably harmful.

No Offensive Measures.

VIENNA, January 9.—The Austrian-Hungarian Foreign Office has received a cablegram from Tokyo saying Japan has no intention of taking any offensive measures in Korea so long as the negotiations with Russia are going on. The officials and diplomats here are hopeful. They believe the chances of a peaceful adjustment of the dispute are distinctly better, since the Russian answer apparently is more favorable than the early reports suggested.

Turning Point.

PARIS, January 9.—Official advices received today further convince those in the highest authority that the Russo-Japanese war crisis has been averted in the East for the present, and the situation being brought distinctly within the lines of diplomatic adjustment. Reports, chiefly from Tokyo, but also from St. Petersburg, give a clear view of the circumstances leading up to the sudden improvement of the situation. They show that the Russian answer actually reached Tokyo the night of January 6 and proved to be the turning point. Prior to its receipt Japan had been making strenuous preparations for sending two divisions to Southern Korea. The official reports establishing these preparations are beyond the slightest question, but the note received on the 6th disclosed to Japan for the first time that Russia fully conceded Japan's paramount rights in Southern Korea.

Russia's concession thus gave Japan practically what she had been preparing to assert by force, and accordingly, military activity was suspended, as Russia's concession made unnecessary Japan's forcible assertion of a paramount position in Southern Korea.

The three days succeeding January 6 gave an opportunity to the authorities at Tokyo to consider and recognize Russia's concession. Whether it will be satisfactory the reports have not disclosed, but the suspension of military activity is regarded as removing the most dangerous aspect and as giving hope that Japan is likely to receive Russia's answer in a conciliatory spirit.

It is not known whether Russia's concern goes to the extent of relinquishing her contention for a zone across Northern Korea, but it is understood that it relates chiefly to giving definite assurance of Japan's rights in Southern Korea. Although reports of mediation continue to circulate, the authoritative statement was made today that no steps have been taken by foreign countries toward mediation.

Meeting Postponed.

TOKIO, Jan. 9.—A meeting of the elder statesmen has been deferred for a day or two. The Russian warships which left Vladivostok recently are reported to have returned there instead of proceeding to Port Arthur, as expected.

Cruiser Leaves.

GENOA, Jan. 9.—The Japanese armored cruisers Kasaga and Nissin left Genoa today for Suez.

Despite the early hour, 4:30 a. m., many people gathered ashore to give a last cheer for Japan. Through the semidarkness the brilliantly lighted ships could not clearly be seen.

The Italian sailors on board the departing ships exchanged loud salutations with their countrymen on the docks or on the steamers anchored near them. The Kasaga left first. The Nissin sailed half an hour later, both apparently going in the direction of Naples, but no one knows what route they will take, even the commander, before leaving, having acknowledged that they were in the dark regarding the instructions contained in the sealed orders. The general opinion, however, is that they will go through the Suez canal.

Much comment has been aroused by the fact that some of the vessels of the Russian Mediterranean squadron have gathered at Suda Bay, north of the island of Crete, apparently awaiting the departure of the Japanese ships.

STEAMER SINKS ON SOUND.

Thirty-five People Are Drowned—Tugs Go to the Rescue and Save Many Lives.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., January 9.—The steamer Clallam, of the Puget Sound Navigation Company, Captain George Roberts, sank at 1:15 o'clock this morning while in tow of the tug Holyoke at a point mid-way between Smith's Island and Dungeness Spit.

Twenty-five of her passengers and crew were drowned.

Thirty-one were saved. 24 being picked up by the tug Sea Lion and seven by the Holyoke. The survivors are now on their way to Seattle aboard the Sea Lion and should arrive about 1:30 this afternoon.

The names of those who have been rescued or drowned have not been received.

STEAMER FOUNDERED.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., January 9.—The steamer Clallam of the this morning at 1:15 o'clock while in tow of the tug Richard Holyoke, the tug Sea Lion having rescued 24 passengers, and the Holyoke seven or eight.

The Clallam was between Dungeness Spit and Smith's Island.

The Sea Lion arrived here at 9:15 this morning.

WOMEN DROWNED.

SEATTLE, Wash., January 9.—A report to the Times from Port Townsend, Wash., says:

The tug Sea Lion arrived here at 9 o'clock this morning, bringing in the first news of the loss of the steamer Clallam in the Straits early this morning.

The Sea Lion brought twenty-four survivors.

The tug Richard Holyoke arrived at 10:30 o'clock with nine additional survivors.

Owing to the high southwesterly gale and heavy sea the Clallam became unmanageable when off Discovery Island. Heavy seas broke the lights and the ship began to fill.

All the women passengers were placed in three boats, which capsized alongside and all were lost.

As a result of the telegraphic advices from Victoria, from which place the Clallam's predicament was seen, the tug Richard Holyoke was dispatched to Port Townsend and got a hawser aboard the Clallam and started to tow her into shelter.

Owing to the high wind, Captain Roberts of the Clallam was unable to inform the Captain of the Holyoke of the condition of the Clallam.

About 12 o'clock the tug Sea Lion, which had been sent to aid the Clallam sighted the Clallam and learned that she was foundering and steamed ahead and notified the Holyoke, which cut her hawser and assisted the Sea Lion in rescuing the passengers.

LIST OF SAVED—DECK DEPARTMENT.

CAPTAIN GEORGE ROBERTS.
FIRST OFFICER G. W. DOWNEY.
H. ARNOLD.
F. MYERS.
J. GIFFITH.
J. JEFFREY.
H. JOHNSON.
H. ANDERSON.
A. MCKEN.
ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.
SCOTT DELAUEY, chief engineer.
JAMES MATTLOCK, fireman.
JOHN ATKINS, oiler.
EDWARD PARKER, oiler.
STEWART'S DEPARTMENT.
J. R. WATSON, steward.
JAMES CALDWELL.

ARCHIE DAVIS.
WILLIAM JONES.
A. H. LOOK.
JU LANG.
PURSER F. C. KREER.

PASSENGERS SAVED.

J. N. CORRIS.
WILLIAM KING.
H. J. BAILEY.
JACK SWEENEY.
CHARLES W. DAVID.
JOHN DAVIS.
W. H. GRIMES.
WILLIAM LE PLANTE.
EDWARD LAUMER.
THOMAS SOOLUIS.
T. LARSON.

THE LOST.

List of passengers on steamship Clallam known to be lost:

CAPTAIN THOMPSON.
THOMAS MORRISON.
GEORGE HYSON.
A. V. VALDEMER.
MRS. ROSE.
C. H. JAY.
R. G. CAMPBELL.
W. C. ROCKLEDGE.
W. C. HENNETT.
R. TURNER.
G. T. JEFFS.
ISAAC HEWITT.
MISS HARRIS.
MRS. CHARLES COX.
MRS. ROMONA.
W. B. GIBBONS.
EUGENE HICKS.
P. L. LA PLANTE.
MRS. R. TURNER.
MISS BELLIES.
E. BONETON.
N. P. SHAW.
MRS. A. J. C. GALLAKALY.
GUY DENNIS.
CHARLES THOMAS.
MISS GILL.
R. CASE.
MRS. REYNOLDS.
E. LARSEN.
MRS. THOMAS SULLINS and family of three.

H. W. LA PLANTE.
CHARLES GREEN.
H. D. MANLEY.
MRS. S. E. BOULTON.
C. W. THOMPSON.
MISS GALLAKALY.
H. BUCKNER.
MISS MURRAY.
C. G. BIRNEY.
E. F. FEORIS.
A. K. PRINCE.
C. F. JOHNSON.
MRS. A. H. LA PLANTE.
MRS. LENORA RICHARDS.
H. H. SWANEY.
CAPTAIN L. LAWRENCE.

CHARLES FOSTER SERIOUSLY ILL.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Jan. 9.—Charles Foster, former governor of Ohio, and secretary of the treasury during President Harrison's administration, had a hemorrhage today and is reported by General Keifer to be in a very critical condition. Mr. Foster, who is at the home of General J. Warden Keifer, was stricken with cerebral paralysis late last night.

PASSES AWAY.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Jan. 9.—Former Governor Charles Foster died at 11:30 o'clock today.

FINALLY TAKE OATH.

BOMBAY, Jan. 9.—Nearly 500 Boers called for Durban, Natal, today. These are the last of the irreconcilables who were imprisoned. They were induced by General Delarey to take the oath of allegiance.

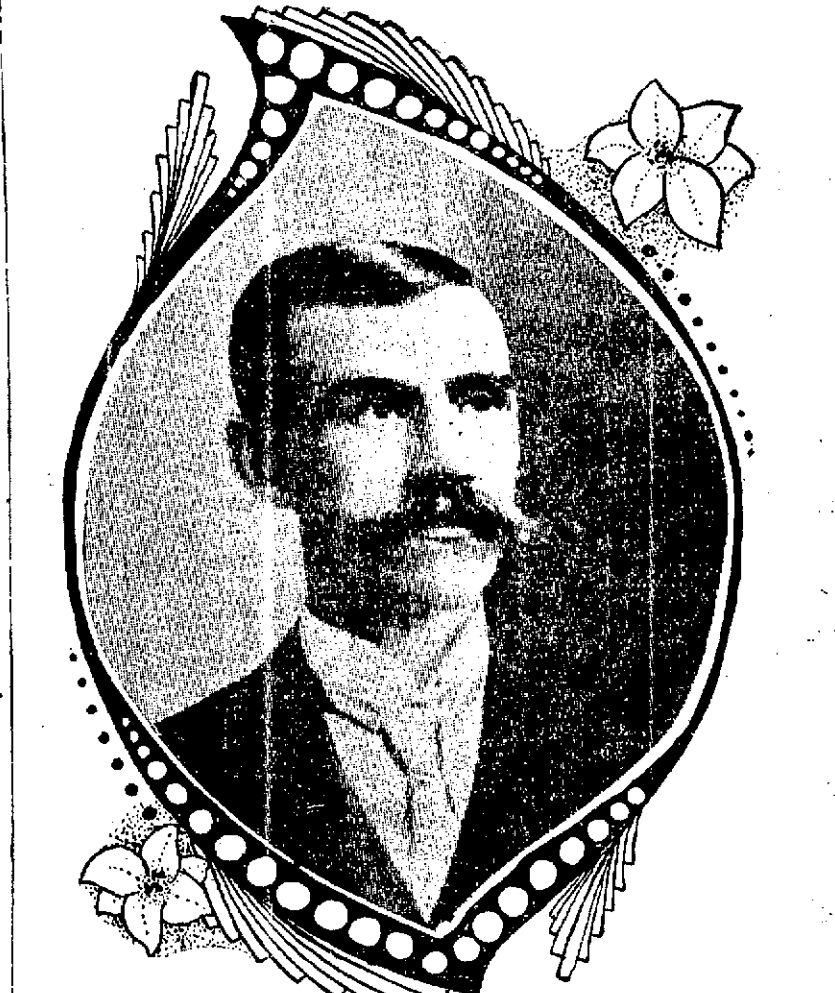
GUEST OF MR. CRANE.

George C. King of Chicago, the general passenger agent of the Michigan Central Railroad is the guest of Carlton C. Crane, 1221 Filbert street. Mr. King has been visiting in Northern California for some weeks.

EASTERN WEATHER.

CHICAGO, January 9.—Temperatures at 7 a. m.: New York 26, Boston 28, Philadelphia and Washington 22, Chicago 32, Minneapolis 16, Cincinnati 28, St. Louis 34.

SENATOR SMOOT MAKES A DEFENSE.



SENATOR REED SMOOT.

Gives His Reasons Why He Should Hold His Seat in The Senate.

WASHINGTON, January 9.—The response of Senator Reed Smoot of Utah to the charges made against him was presented to the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections today by Senator Burrows, chairman of that committee. The document was in printed form, and the members of the committee did not go through the formality of reading it during the session; it was agreed that at the regular meeting of the committee to be held next Saturday the attorneys for Mr. Smoot and for the petitioners should be heard. John G. Carlisle of New York, formerly secretary of the treasury; W. Taylor, formerly a representative in Congress from Ohio, will appear for the prosecution, while Mr. Smoot will be represented by Messrs. A. S. Worthington of Washington, D. C., Waldemar Van Cott of Utah and W. E. Bown of Idaho.

The attorneys will be heard as to the merits of the case as already presented. They will be examined to show precedents and authorities, and after they shall have made their presentation, the committee shall decide what to do further in the matter by calling witnesses or dispose of it on the showing made.

SMOOT'S STATEMENT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Reed Smoot today submitted the following answer to the protest against his retention of a seat in the United States Senate:

"This respondent is advised and avers that but two of the charges made against him in said protests, either directly or by implication, are such as, if true, could legally affect his right to hold his seat in the Senate. These two charges are:

THE CHARGES.

"1.—That the respondent is a polygamist.

"2.—That he is bound by some oath required by the constitution which was administered to him before he took his seat as a Senator."

"Both these charges respondent denies.

"As to the charge that he is a polygamist, the respondent says that he was married on the 17th day of September, 1884, to Alpha May Eldridge. She is still his wife, and is the mother of all his children. He has never had another wife and has never cohabited with any other woman.

OBEYS CONSTITUTION.

"As to the charge that the respondent is bound by some oath or obligation controlling his duty under his oath as a Senator, the respondent says that he has never taken any such oath, or in any way assumed any such obligation. He holds himself bound to obey and uphold the constitution and laws of the United States, including the condition in reference to Polygamy upon which the

State of Utah was admitted into the Union.

"The respondent now moves to strike out and eliminate separately from said protest each and every matter and thing therein contained, except the two charges above mentioned.

"While the respondent is advised and avers that the old matters referred to in said protests are such as cannot legally or properly be considered as affecting the right of the respondent to retain his seat in the Senate, nevertheless, the respondent now proceeds to answer the same, submitting the question of the relevancy of the same, not waiting his said motion but insisting thereon.

THE MORMON CHURCH.

"The respondent avers that he is one of said alleged self-perpetuating body of 15 men, or that there is any such body of men; or that the followers or members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, or any of them, accord the right to said alleged body to claim supreme authority, either divinely sanctioned or otherwise, to shape the belief or control the conduct of those under them in all or any matters, civil or temporal, and that said church or such alleged body claims or exercises any such alleged rights, or that said church or said alleged body of men or either of them, united either in one body or in all of them, the authority of church and state, or of the state, or that said church, or said alleged body or any person or body exercises any authority or power to inculcate or encourage a belief in the practice of polygamy or belief in or practice of polygamous cohabitation, or that either countenance or connives at any violation of the laws of the State of Utah or of the United States, either regardless of pledges or plights, or otherwise, at all, either made for the said alleged purpose, or otherwise.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S AUCTION SALE.

We have received instructions from the administrator of the estate of the late Mr. P. Gallagher to sell at public auction his fine furniture, piano, carpets, etc., at the residence, 1228 Myrtle street, near Sixteenth, Oakland, Cal., Tuesday, January 12, at 10:30 a. m. Comprising in part: One Kimble piano, elegant odd parlor pieces, parlor sets, couches, parlor tables, bique, red rockers, extra fine line of pictures, elegant lace curtains, Brussels carpets throughout the house, massive oak extension table, dining chairs, sideboard, choice glass and silverware, two odd mantle tops, bookcase, elegant oak hall tree, five massive oak and walnut bedroom suits, folding beds, chiffoniers, hair mattresses, bedding, brass and iron beds, oak wardrobe, bed lounge, kitchen range, kitchen utensils, etc., etc.

All must and will be sold to settle up the estate. Do not fail to attend sale if you want a fine lot of household goods. This house to rent by George W. Austin, 1002 Broadway.

J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers, Office, 1591 Park street, Alameda, T. L. Alameda 435.

Rooms 412-413 Call Building, San Francisco, Phone Main 5127.

MRS. MAYBRICK WILL BE GIVEN LIBERTY.

LONDON, January 9.—Referring to the statement published in the United States that final arrangements were made yesterday between Ambassador Choate and the Home Office officials for the release in April of Mrs. Florence Maybrick, the American woman under sentence of life imprisonment on the charge of poisoning her husband, it is pointed out that the status of the case as cabled to the Associated Press March 23, 1903, when it was announced on the authority of the same office that she would be released in 1904. The exact date of her release is not yet fixed.

Baroness De Roques says that her daughter, Mrs. Maybrick, is decidedly in better health and gaining strength now that she has the certainty of being released.

"All the sensational newspaper accounts relative to our business interests and future fortunes," added the Baroness, "have not resulted in any profit to us. Quite the contrary."

ADVERTISEMENTS.

FORTY SHOTS FIRED.

The Attacking Party Stole the Ballot Box.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 8.—In a riot following the closing of the polls during the city election, a mob attacked a polling booth and after a fight, in which forty shots were fired, a ballot box was secured and burned.

TWO GIRLS HAVE BEEN KIDNAPPED.

CHANUTE, Kas., Jan. 8.—Two girls, Irene Stacey and Rena Douglas, of Fond Du Lac, Wisconsin, have been kidnapped by three men who have taken them to the Indian territory from their home according to a letter found near the railroad track near Chanute today. The letter was well written, evidently had been thrown from a Southbound Santa Fe passenger train.

POSTOFFICE MATTERS.

WASHINGTON, January 8.—The resolution for an investigation of the Postoffice Department was then taken up. Mr. Simmons made the point that the frauds exposed by Mr. Bristow, in nearly every instance, form a civil liability, and that government funds which had been wasted should be recovered in a court of law.

Mr. Tillman said that a number of years ago he had asked that rural free delivery boxes be supplied to farmers at cost, and that he had submitted a sample box which sold for 50 cents. This box, said Mr. Tillman, was furnished later at \$1.25 and \$1.50 each. He wanted to know whether any investigation of this case had been made.

Mr. Simmons answered that the Bristow report exposed many such cases.

TROOPS HAVE STRUCK.

Uruguayan Soldiers Are Now Marching on Melo.

BUENOS AYRES, January 8.—Advices from Montevideo say that the Uruguayan troops in the department of Artigas have mutinied and are marching on Melo, and that the Nationalists in the department of Treinta y Tres have declared in favor of the revolutionists.

CABINET MEETING.

WASHINGTON, January 8.—At the cabinet meeting today unanimous consent was given that the hours of labor for government employees shall be from 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m., with half hour of that time to be allowed for luncheon. The new regulation will apply only to the executive departments and will go into effect next Monday. Herebefore the departmental hours have been from 9 until 4 with half hour for luncheon. The decision reached today affects not only the employees in Washington but also those in the departments throughout the country.

The subject was considered carefully by the cabinet and the decision reached was announced. It will affect approximately one hundred thousand employees.

TELLS OF ORDERS.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 8.—Engineer Benjamin said today: "The orders I received at Topeka were to wait at Valencia until 12:05 a. m., for the freight train East and to meet the extra 459 at Willard, which I did. I had no orders whatever to meet the extra stock train at Willard."

"Did Conductor Naegel have such an order?"

"I don't know what he had."

CONGRESSMAN WANTS THE PRESIDENT TO STOP WAR.

WASHINGTON, January 8.—Representative Slayden (Dem. Tex.) introduced a resolution in the House today requesting the President to tender the food offices of mediation of the United States to Russia and Japan. The resolution follows:

"Whereas, by the provisions of The Hague convention of 1899, the tender of good offices of mediation by a nation stranger to a dispute cannot be regarded as an unfriendly act, and

"Whereas, by said convention it is made the duty of signatory powers if a serious dispute threatens to break out between two or more of them, to remind these latter that the permanent court of arbitration is open to them, and such

JOHN A. MUIR PASSES AWAY

LOS ANGELES, January 8.—John A. Muir, general manager of the Los Angeles Railway Company and one of the most prominent citizens of Southern California, died at his home in this city at 6:10 o'clock this morning of a complication of liver and kidney troubles. He was 54 years of age.

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BROKE INTO THE OFFICE.

Records of the County Clerk Said to Be Missing.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 8.—A startling sensation stirred the county clerk's office at the city hall this morning.

CASH BOOK GONE.

Clerk Riordan, who has charge of the filing desk, searched in vain for his cash book, and the accountants at the other department desks reported that their accounts had been abstracted.

Just who had done the job remained a mystery until Clerk Mahony staggered into an adjoining room. He was clad in a heavy overcoat and leaned over a table. As he was in the act of straightening up one of the stolen volumes dropped from an inside pocket.

He quickly picked up the book and hastily retreated from the office.

CLERKS BECOME SILENT.

As soon as the truth was known the clerks about the office became silent. All immediately combined to protect Mahony. They stated that they knew nothing of the circumstances of the case, and Deputy Casey went so far as to claim that some drunken man had peeped against the window and had retreated as soon as he heard the glass crash.

ACTED AGAINST ATTORNEY'S ADVICE.

Deputy McKenna knew more than the other deputies in the office. According to his statement, Mahony last night consulted him about breaking in after Judge Hebbard had refused to issue a writ of injunction restraining County Clerk Greif from taking possession at noon today.

"I have acted as Mahony's attorney in the past," he said, "and refused positively to give my consent to his scheme of breaking in and abstracting the books and accounts. It seems that he failed to listen and acted on his own judgment. Just what he expects to gain by such action I do not know, as it will not help his position in court, but will, I think, have a contrary bearing on the case."

CLERK MAHONY DISAPPEARED.

Clerk Mahony could not be found after he made his unceremonious exit.

NO HOSE WITH PIPES.

WHY THE FIRE GAINED HEADWAY AT THE IROQUOIS.

CHICAGO, January 8.—Robert E. Murray, stationary engineer of the Iroquois Theatre, testifying at the inquest today declared that there was one stand pipe on the stage, two in the basement and one in the smoking room. There was no hose attached to any of them, although there was hose in the building on a reel, and nobody had ever been instructed how to use it. The hose in the building consisted of one coil and was locked in the smoking room at the front of the building.

The only way in which an alarm could reach the fire department was by use of telephone.

GENERAL REYES WAITS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—General Reyes is still awaiting the State Department's reply to the request that the correspondence between himself and the Washington Government regarding the Panama incident be sent to the United States Senate. General Reyes has advices from Colombia that the feeling there continues to run high against the United States and while preparations are being made for hostilities, General Reyes has been able thus far to restrain his people from an outbreak.

It is quite possible that upon receipt of the State Department's reply to his last note, General Reyes will leave immediately for Colombia. In that event, Dr. Herran, the Colombian Charge d'Affaires, will close the legation and return home, thus marking the breaking off of diplomatic relations between this country and Colombia.

QUIET AT KISHINEFF.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 8.—It is semi-officially announced that all is quiet at Kishineff. The military and police forces there have been increased for the purpose of protection, but this is usual in the case of all national holidays.

PASSED THE BILL.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The House today passed the bill making available the sum of \$25,000 to meet the emergency growing out of the ravages of the Mexican boll weevil.

APPLIES FOR AN INJUNCTION.

SAN JOSE RESTAURANT ASKS THE COURT TO INTERFERE.

SAN JOSE, Jan. 8.—Slavie's Restaurant, one of the largest in town, today applied to the Superior Court for injunction to restrain the Waiters' and Cooks' Union from placing sentries in front of their place of business warning customers to keep away.

The restaurant employs a number of non-union men, and has been boycotted for some time.

This application will bring to a judicial head the war that has been waged here for several months between unions, and several restaurants.

THREW PRESENTS AWAY.

Suit for alimony was begun by Mrs. Guilla Ferrante today against Salvatore Ferrante, who at present is prosecuting divorce proceedings against a six-months bride. Mrs. Ferrante claims that she has no means of support and asks the Court for an order on her husband for enough money to keep her until such time as the divorce proceedings now pending are settled.

Ferrante claims in his action that he is the victim of deception and has been cruelly treated. He says that shortly after their marriage his wife discovered that he did not have as much money as he supposed he had and flew into a rage. He says that she threw his presents away, cast aside his wedding ring and threatened to leave him. He now asks for a divorce and Mrs. Ferrante asks for sufficient alimony to sustain her pending the action.

MILL DESTROYED.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 8.—The Nichols Shingle mill at Ballard was totally destroyed by fire today. The mill, four barns, sheds, blacksmith shop and about four million shingles were burned. The loss is estimated to be between \$35,000 and \$40,000, partially covered by insurance.

FIVE MEN KILLED.

DENVER, Jan. 8.—A report was received today at local headquarters of the Moffat road, that five men in the employ of the Goode Construction Company were killed or fatally injured today by a premature explosion at the Nelson tunnel, near South B-ider creek.

PANAMA CANAL.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—The Senate committee on foreign relations today considered the Panama canal treaty, reaching the fifteenth article in a general discussion. It became apparent during the debate that suggestions for alterations of the treaty would not be confined to the Democratic members.

THE MERGER CASE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—The argument of the Minnesota merger case was continued today in the United States Supreme Court. (George E. Young, who appeared for the Northern Securities Company, contended that the Securities Company was purely a financial company and in no sense a railroad corporation.)

WILL REPRESENT PANAMA.

PARIS, Jan. 8.—United States Consul Gowdy today received instructions from Secretary of State to represent Panama in all consular matters, and that the Secretary had notified other consuls in Europe to take like action.

"Tribune" Carries.

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CONDEMNATION PRICE IS PAID OVER.

Pile by pile Attorney Stanley Moore counted \$4,000, which he paid into the hands of the County Clerk this morning as the amount of the judgment rendered in the condemnation proceedings brought by the Southern Pacific Railway against Gretchen Feldman and others for a piece of property sued for by the railway which it stated was necessary for the purpose of building freight yards in West Oakland.

The Feldman wanted \$15,000 for the property and the shilling stacks of twenties represented what the jury in the case had awarded them as an equivalent for what the railway wished to take.

The land in question is situated on Kirkham, Cypress and Fifth streets and is a block in length and half a block in width. The railway has acquired by purchase several blocks of land in the neighborhood but the price held out for it by the Feldmans caused the company to go into the courts rather than pay what was asked.

The company offered \$5,000 for the property while the jury appraised the property at \$4,000. The Feldmans claimed that the amount they had paid out on it warranted them in asking \$15,000 for it.

HAS NOT SAID THEY ARE READY.

BERLIN, January 9.—Professor Up-hue's statue of Frederick The Great, presented by Emperor William to the United States, has been ready to be shipped for some weeks past, but no intimation has come from Washington as to when the authorities there want it sent. The newspapers are untiringly to the government or untiringly to the United States continue at intervals to comment on the "contemptuous disregard of his majesty's gift by the United States," and find fault with the policy of conciliation toward "the Yankees, who mistake Germany's courtesy for weakness."

NO COMPLAINT FILED.

As no complaint was filed against C. H. Stengher, an Alameda man, who ran down Mrs. C. A. Jacobs, a woman 70 years of age at the corner of Fourteenth and Broadway, he was released by Police Judge Samuels this morning.

Workingmen Demand Food

That has strength to perform good work. There's purity and strength in Bay City Flour. All the gluten left in. Union made.

BORN.

ADAMS—In this city, January 8, 1904, to the wife of W. H. Adams, a daughter, COOPER—In this city, January 8, 1904, to the wife of H. B. Cooper, a daughter.

DIED.

DAHLEN—In this city, January 8, 1904, Francis M. Dahlen, beloved wife of Frank C. Dahlen and mother of Mrs. Emma M. Dahlen and Theresa Dahlen, a native of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, aged 43 years.

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A PARTHIAN SUGGESTION.

It is suggested that the Sacramento Valley Anti-Debris Association, which has fought so long and hard to prevent the streams being ruined by hydraulic mining, be dissolved or, at least, become less active in its operations. The suggestion comes from those who have either opposed the work of the association or given it merely nominal support. No great acumen is required to discern the disinterestedness of such a proposition coming from such a quarter.

At the recent convention of the Miners' Association notice was given of another attempt to renew hydraulic mining. The Anti-Debris Association is the lion in the path of this scheme. Therefore one can readily understand why it should be desired to dissolve or disarm this body, or to perceive the motive that prompts the suggestion. It is the old trick of beguiling those whom it is desired to destroy to disarm themselves.

It is to be hoped that the Anti-Debris Association will not be beguiled into either surrendering its organization or relaxing its vigilance. If it does, a hard-won battle will have to be fought all over again. The whole State has an interest in this matter for the preservation of the streams debouching into the Sacramento river is essential to the prosperity of a large section of California.

Not only does hydraulic mining threaten the alluvial lands bordering the rivers, but it injuriously affects river navigation and the commerce of the cities around the bay. It renders the problem of reclaiming the partially submerged lands of the delta doubly difficult of solution and it turns vast areas of the most fertile alluvial lands in the world into barren wastes.

The enormous sums the farmers along the Sacramento, Feather and Yuba rivers have expended in raising levees constitute a costly lesson in experience. In a large part these levees were made necessary by the hydraulic miners filling the streams with silt, sand and debris, raising the river beds far above their normal level. The material swept into the streams in the process of washing down the hills has been carried into the navigable waters causing shoaling and a variety of troubles. It has entailed continuous expense on the part of both the State and the Federal government.

Through the efforts of the Anti-Debris Association this crime against civilization and permanent prosperity has been abated. A resumption of it should never be permitted for a number of reasons, chief of which is that hydraulic mining is not a permanent industry and creates no fixed settlements. It is not only ephemeral, but it is destructive of waters, forests and arable lands, while the wealth derived from it is evanescent, never fixing itself in the places whence it is extracted. However the farmers of the Sacramento Valley know all this, and they will prove themselves remarkably forgetful if they allow themselves to be seduced now into letting loose the devil they have once exorcised.

How does Senator Gorman think it looks, he being a Presidential candidate, to be regarded by the Colombians as their representative in the United States Senate?

A movement has been started to erect a suitable stone above the remains of Edgar Wilson Nye ("Bill Nye"), the humorist, who sleeps in a neglected and unmarked grave near Asheville, North Carolina. Nye lost nearly all his property in unfortunate investments, and after his death his widow lost all but a few hundred dollars of the little nest egg he left her by a bank failure. She was forced to keep a boarding-house to maintain herself, and hence had no money to expend on her husband's grave, which is now in a tangle of briars, unfenced and unmarked, save for a bottle thrust neck downward in the sod. There is a grim humor in the fact that the man who delighted thousands with his drollery should be lying away in the mountains of North Carolina with only an empty bottle to mark his resting place. It is to be hoped the writing fraternity will see that the grave is properly marked and cared for.

The Stockton Independent complains that milkmen are obstructing one of the highways of that city. Is there a hydrant on the corner?

Mr. Thomas Nightmaster was married last week in Owsley County Ky., to Miss Hulda Thrash. Here's betting on the new nightmaster.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

And on all the little Scraps.

News comes that the works of the American Tinplate Company at Monaca, Pa., have been shut down owing to the cold weather, throwing 3000 men out of employment. It must have been a very cold day for the employees. But such instances of extreme cold as getting rather common in the East. Out here industrial shut-downs cannot be blamed on the climate.

WHAT INSPIRES COLOMBIA.

The request of General Reyes, the Colombian envoy, to Secretary Hay that the correspondence relating to the Panama matter be sent to the Senate by the President was an impertinence. As the representative of a foreign power, General Reyes could only have relations with the executive branch of the government, and any suggestion on his part as to what the President should communicate to the legislative department is presumptuous and grossly improper. It is, as it doubtless was intended to be, a show of covert insolence to the President.

General Reyes' note is in harmony with the address sent to Senator Gorman by the Colombian government. In both can plainly be seen an intent to meddle not only with the deliberations of Congress but in the domestic politics of this country. These communications are plainly the fruit of the recent speeches of Gorman, Hoar, Morgan and Carmack, who have virtually invited the envoy of a foreign country to commit a breach of diplomatic courtesy so flagrant as appealing to the political enemies of the President in Congress.

The mustering of troops to invade the Isthmus is unquestionably encouraged by the attitude of Gorman, Hoar, Morgan, et al. in the Senate. Even the Colombians are intelligent enough to know that an armed encounter will be futile, but they are deliberately preparing for bloodshed in furtherance of a plan to influence political action in the United States. A Presidential campaign is about to open. If the present Administration can be overthrown, the Colombians hope to see the United States coerce Panama into again entering the Colombian federation.

Of course the Democrats would not gratify this hope. They have no intention of doing so, and even if they had, the American people would not tolerate it. Thus we see the Colombians encouraged to insult our President and resort to bloodshed on false pretenses. The Democrats have no desire to assist Colombia, but are simply animated by the hope of gaining a political advantage at the next election.

ENGLAND'S INTEREST IN JAPAN.

Leading journals of all parties in England seem agreed that Great Britain cannot afford to see Japan crushed. The tenor of their comments on the war outlook is to the effect that Great Britain will be compelled, in self-protection to go to Japan's assistance in case she gets badly worsted in the encounter.

The reason for this position is plain. Russia is menacing England's rear in India, and is making stealthily but steadily advance toward the Persian Gulf. In case she should signally defeat Japan, Korea would be immediately absorbed and the Chinese Empire would become absolutely subject to the Moscowite, which would bring Russian aggression to the gates of Hongkong. British India would be completely surrounded by Russian possessions save for Siam and the French in Annam and Cochinchina.

But France is friendly to Russia, and appears to be getting ready to take possession of Siam in case of war between Russia and Japan. Then Russia's ally would be treading on British heels in Burmah as Russia is treading on them in Northern India and the Western boundary of Belochistan.

While Japan would be fighting for her national integrity, Great Britain would have to sustain her for the security of her foothold in India and the outlying insular possessions. If Germany were to menace the Russian frontier in the event of war, the effect would be of great assistance to Japan because it would necessitate the maintenance of a huge army to guard Poland and the Baltic provinces. The Polish and Finnish disaffection would also figure in the situation, as also would the Jewish disaffection in Southern Russia.

PNEUMONIA AND TALL BUILDINGS.

It is not unlikely that the remarkable increase in deaths from pneumonia in New York City is a direct resultant of crowding the narrow streets with tall buildings. These buildings are usually heated by register systems. They are hives of human beings, in which the super-heated atmosphere becomes vitiated. People dash suddenly out of this warm atmosphere into the sharp cold of the streets, and lung congestion is the result. In the first place the life in the great apartment houses and hotels and the huge business blocks exerts a weakening tendency on the lungs and the sharp transition from a heated, vitiated, rarefied air to the cold of the streets causes sudden nervous contractions that affect the whole system, especially lung action. At any rate, the rapid increase in pneumonia seizures is coincident with the skyscraper building boom. Whether the conditions of life created by the crowding together of tall buildings conduce to lung weakness and consequent pulmonary ailments is a question for medical men to decide, but not a few of them have inadvertently on the injurious effects of turning the streets into mere funnels for the north and east winds that whistle so keenly through the metropolis in winter. There are places in New York where one can scarcely stand when a high wind is blowing, so sharply are the air currents deflected into the streets. The effect of such winds on persons just out of warm rooms can hardly be estimated.

THE COMIC MUSE.

The milkman hath a cunning air,
The financier hath manners sly;
There's water, water everywhere,
Yet pocketbooks are going dry.

—Washington Star.

A prudish young miss of Oshkosh
Slipped up on an overripe squash;
Good breeding is great,
But I grieve to relate
She forgot all her French in her much
confused state.

—Memphis Scimitar.

THE SUICIDE.

Oh, have you heard the tale about
Bill's wife?
She tried, in wrath, to take her fair
young life.

She said she'd do it with her angry
knife.
No word could freeze her.

She gripped the slender handle undismayed;
Upon her wrists she pressed the awful
blade.

She looked. No mark! Then this re-
mark she made:

"Tshaw! It's Bill's razor."

MISTOOK THE GIFT.

He sent her a belt for Christmas,
As a sort of a true love starter,
And she wondered where the other
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She thought it was a garter.

—Houston Post.

Chips From Other Blocks

Now we are going to pay \$7,350,000 for the islands in the Philippines. When we bought the islands as a job lot we did not get a clear title to some of the more valuable sections.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Bryan has visited the Roman forum, and while standing there his right hand instinctively stole in between the first and second buttons of his frock coat.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Now science says whales do not spout water, but air. Certainly that is what some public men, who consider themselves whales, spout—and hot air at that.—Richmond News Leader.

The impression that Mr. Bunau-Varilla was a whole thing in the Panama revolution and constituted in his own person a republicanism form of government is confirmed by President Roosevelt's official declaration that "Panama rose literally as one man."—New York News.

In the play "Whitewashing Julia" the puzzle is, And the powder puff. In the Washington play "The Whitewashing of the Doctor" the unsolved puzzle is, find the infinitesimal interim.—New York Evening Sun.

The President's intention to broaden our extradition treaties to include even bribery is a direct blow at the prosperity of Canada.—New York Herald.

In its new form it reads: "I care not who makes the receivers of the State so long as I move about the judges."—New York Evening Sun.

Secretary Shaw is a little shy on surplus, according to his report. Fellow-felting makes us wondrous kind.—New York Herald.

Not What She Expected.

Lady (of uncertain age)—"I have put your seat next to mine, Mr. Rawlinson. I hope you do not mind?"
Mr. R.—"Mind, my dear lady; you know how little it takes to satisfy me."
—London Tid-Bits.

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HOW MADAME PATTI KEEPS HER YOUTH.

She Never Uses Cosmetics and At Sixty Has a Complexion Like a Young Girl's.

BY BETTY MARTIN.

Madame Patti has had her cheek pinched and her teeth examined critically in broad daylight by a San Francisco newspaper reporter—presumably a man, such a proceeding would have been deemed unnecessary by a woman, whose ability to detect fraud at a glance is well known—and he declares that the great diva does not use cosmetics; also that her skin is as firm and rounded as a girl's. All this at 60.

The query arises, if Madame Patti can look like a girl at 60, why not other women? Patti's secret to continual youth, she herself declares, is never to worry. She sedulously avoids all such disturbing trifles as reading the newspapers and other like occupations with which ordinary people are accustomed to engage their minds, which is perhaps well for her peace of mind during this, her farewell tour, for did she read, at least a frown might have crossed her smooth brow when a New York reporter made so bold to refer to her, after her first night appearance, as a "funny little old woman, whose upper and lower notes were gone forever."

Langtry is another woman famous for the preservation of her beauty, and she also gives her plan free to the public.

First and foremost, she absolutely refuses to worry.

So it would appear, according to these two prominent authorities, that worry is the great aging factor.

But Langtry adds another item of great importance to her beauty recipe.

She declares that she never does anything herself, which she can pay other people to do for her.

In this she is distinctly different from most other women, who seem possessed by the demon of unrest, and a wild and uncanny desire to do any and everything.

The ways of these two prominent women might be emulated with advantage by many of their sex, though possibly it might not be well for the world if each particular woman in it followed suit in the matter of husbands. There would hardly be enough to go around, not to speak of the moral aspect. But certainly there would be fewer cases of breakdown and nervous exhaustion if the "don't worry" plan were universally adopted.

Langtry, in her rule of never doing anything for herself which she can pay to have done, has discovered the secret of the successful business men of the age. They reserve to themselves the power to direct and pay others to execute their commands. In a word, they specialize; whereas the majority of women generalize, and in so far as they do, never succeed to any marked extent in any one thing they attempt.

The chances are, however, that if they thoroughly realized what a beauty destroyer this generalizing it would be abandoned at once and forever.

Much of this generalizing is due to women's environments as home-makers and housekeepers.

Modern science has been slow to invade the homes. It is true that some progress has been made, but it is slight by comparison with the strides in factories and shops, where machines do so much more than hands.

Harper's Bazar is authority for the statement that 70 per cent of the married women of today do not keep servants.

What does that mean? Simply that 70 per cent of the American married women sweep clean, cook, wash and iron, bake and sew generally. In addition, most of them keep up their church work and philanthropies. Many belong to clubs and still there have a round of social duties, from which they cannot escape, fastened upon them.

Isn't a little worry and aging under such conditions quite natural?

Henry Edward Warner declares that next to the pantry, the most desirable accessory of housekeeping ought to be a well-developed funny-bone.

Quoting the gentleman still further, for the benefit of those disposed to take serious view of matters, "the laugh in mankind is an indication of not only of health, but of frankness, mental quiet, untroubled spirit, free conscience." The giggle and snicker is described as the "harmless germ of a better thing."

It might be well to adopt the laugh co-jointly with the "don't worry" remedy.

Why do so many women persist in dressing in black?

It is universally unbecoming, spite of a wide-spread belief to the contrary, and adds ten years at least to the wearer's appearance, which truth of itself should be enough to cause the generality of women to desist from ever donning this sombre garb.

Frequently given reason for wearing black clothes is that they are both inconspicuous and economical.

In a sense, this is true, but there are plenty of becoming colors just as enduring as black, and vastly more suitable.

Take the Scotch tweeds and home-spuns, for instance. It may be said of them that they never wear out, and certainly they fall to show dirt and spots as does black.

Regarding the fear of being conspicuously clad, that need worry no one. There is a happy mean to choose from and it isn't necessary to buy bright scarlet or royal purple.

To sensitive people black is always depressing. It carries a suggestion of grief, no matter how rich its trappings. And can anything look more woe begone and bedraggled than black when its first freshness is gone? It reminds one of needy widows and orphans.

By all means discard the wearing of sombre black garments if you have any regard for other feelings.

It is a woman's business to radiate sweetness and light wherever she goes, and that is an impossibility if she is attired in black.

Even as a mourning garb, black should be abolished, and the English fashion—which is rapidly gaining ground in this country—of wearing a deep band of black about the sleeve, universally adopted.

Why Christians should wear mourning at all is a mystery, since, according to the tenets of their faith, he departed to go home far surpassing the joys of

earth, where those left behind soon expect to follow.

It might not be inappropriate to wear some badge, such as the English one, as a token to acquaintances that some dear one has departed, but why make others miserable?

Black extinguishes individuality. Who ever heard of a conquering hero in black?

What would our military folk look like dressed in such a hue? It is impossible to imagine an army of men marching forth to the strains of martial music in other than the regulation colors.

Take the armies of the world, where desirability of color and texture of cloth both have to be considered. Is black chosen? No. Bright colors predominate—black never.

Colors affect people strangely. Place a sick person in a room whose walls are of black, and chances of recovery are greatly lessened. Dark green is almost equally depressing, lavender is irritating almost to the extent of irrationality on the part of the patient.

Buff cheeks, as does a dark, rich crimson, and blue of a certain shade, with its suggestion of peace and quiet, acts as an opiate on overwrought nerves.

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BOOKMAKERS ARE AGAIN WORSTED.

Crowd At Track Was Slim But Bookmakers Were Kept Busy As Usual.

There was rather a slim attendance at the race track yesterday afternoon, probably owing to the fact that there were no special attractions on the program and many preferred to wait until today when the big Holladay handicap was down for decision. Despite the slim attendance the betting ring had all it could take care of and as usual the bookies got the worst of the day's tussle.

Three first choices were winners and the others captured brackets at 6 and 7 to 1 and were fairly well backed at that. The track was in splendid shape for good time. The first race found a winner in Victoria, a 6 to 1 shot, who made her first appearance for this season. She was well backed by the Seattle contingent who remembered her good work in the Northern city last summer. There was a hot tip around the ring just before the race that First Chip would win and the horse was backed from 10 down to 6 to 1 but Lady Kent continued to be a mild favorite at 11 to 2. The Miller had a resurrection and passed the Ultra hand for first place. Rustie Girl finished third.

The second event turned out to be a two-horse race between Hillman and Velma Clark in which the former out-gamed the latter. Martin at 2 to 1 was played for a favorite but finished nowhere. Sudden came first at the finish and captured the show money. In the third race Matt Hogan took the overland route to avoid being forced into a poke; and in spite of that handicap won out by a neck, though Gallman's powerful ride in the last furlong, Cousin Carrie, who had been leading all the way, managed to last long enough to nose Quiet out of the place. The latter horse had had it all the way but nevertheless ran a good race.

Tom Slavin divided the honors of being favorite with Ladys in the fourth race, their prices being 4 to 1. Larcen kept Tom Slavin in a nice position all the way and finally beat Optimo out at the finish. Optimo made a strong bid but was out-gamed in the last sixteenth. Frank Woods was third, beating Miss Miller by a head.

There was nothing to the fifth race but Annies. The speedy colt was away first and made every post a winning one. As they neared the field Annies drew away from the field and they were standing still and won by four lengths. The same distance separated El Tu Brute and Corner Kelley. As there was a liberal play on all of the other starters with the exception of Northwest there was a fair price on the winner, 5 to 2 being laid against his chances.

In the last race of the day Joe Lesser and Flush of Gold opened at equal prices 2 to 1. Many placed bets on Flush of Gold as it was quite a surprise around the track that the chestnut mare was ready and would be an easy winner. Just before post time there was a rush on Gaffer and he was backed from 3 to 1 down to 11 to 5, going to the post a favorite at that price. Joe Lesser secured a good position early after the start and galloped away from Flush of Gold at the finish, winning by two lengths. Gorgaleite beat the favorite for show money. Miss Betty was interfered with badly at the far turn and was out of the race, finishing last.

Following are the results:

FIRST RACE (Futurity Course).

Victoria (Larsen) 6 to 1 1
The Miller (J. T. Sheehan) 10 to 1 2
Rustie Girl (O'Phant) 10 to 1 3
Time, 1:11 1/2.

Bell Reed, Tuck Bark, Lady Kent, The Stewardess, Theron, Saul of Tarsus, Annas and First Chip also ran.

SECOND RACE (One Mile).

Hillman (Hildebrand) 7 to 1 1

Velma Clark (Larsen) 12 to 1 2
Sudden (J. Martin) 7 to 1 3
Time, 1:41.

Billy Moore, Antioch, Martin, Pat Morrissey, Peetous, Mordente, Rosplitor and Constable also ran.

THIRD RACE (Futurity Course).

Matt Hogan (Bullman) 16 to 5 1
Cousin Carrie (Kunz) 8 to 1 2
Quiet (Hildebrand) 7 to 2 3
Time, 1:10 1/2.

Pure Dale, Saintly, Berandos, Lu-rana, My Surprise and Pickaway also ran.

FOURTH RACE.

(One Mile and a Sixteenth).
Tom Slavin (Larsen) 4 to 1 1
Optimo (O'Phant) 12 to 1 2
Frank Woods (See) 12 to 1 3
Time, 1:47 1/2.

Miss Siscovine, G. W. Trahern, Ex-pression, Leopoldus, Dotterel, Donator, Achilles and MacGyle also ran.

FIFTH RACE.

(Six and a Half Furlongs).
Annies (Hildebrand) 8 to 5 1
El Tu Brute (Larsen) 9 to 2 2
Corner Kelley (O'Phant) 8 to 1 3
Time, 1:20.

Thunderbolt, Harbor, Northwest and Miss Betty also ran.

SIXTH RACE.

(One Mile and Seventy Yards).
Joe Lesser (Larsen) 13 to 5 1
Flush of Gold (J. Martin) 18 to 5 2
Gorgaleite (Kunz) 9 to 2 3
Time, 1:45 1/2.

Gaffer, Chalcades, O'Hagen and McGrathian Prince also ran.

NOTES OF THE TRACK.

Shanter Heltman leaves for Los Angeles tonight.

Eddie Hayes, a little San Francisco boy, promises to develop into one of the best jockeys in Europe.

Francis Trevelyan is to be presiding judge at Hawthorne this season.

John A. Drake recently made an unsuccessful attempt to purchase English Lot.

Larsen rode three winners in good style yesterday, and Hildebrand two.

First Chip came in for strong backing to win the first race. Donovan went over to the post and got the horse.

There was no excuse for this sort of business and whenever a boy gets left on a horse that is not very fractious actor the judges should send down to the Emeryville cannery and get a tin can. It is a noticeable fact about racing that but few horses are left at the post when starts are made in front of the stand. Perhaps some retired rider now employed at some other vocation can explain this.

The Saratoga Racing Association will give away stakes valued at \$256.

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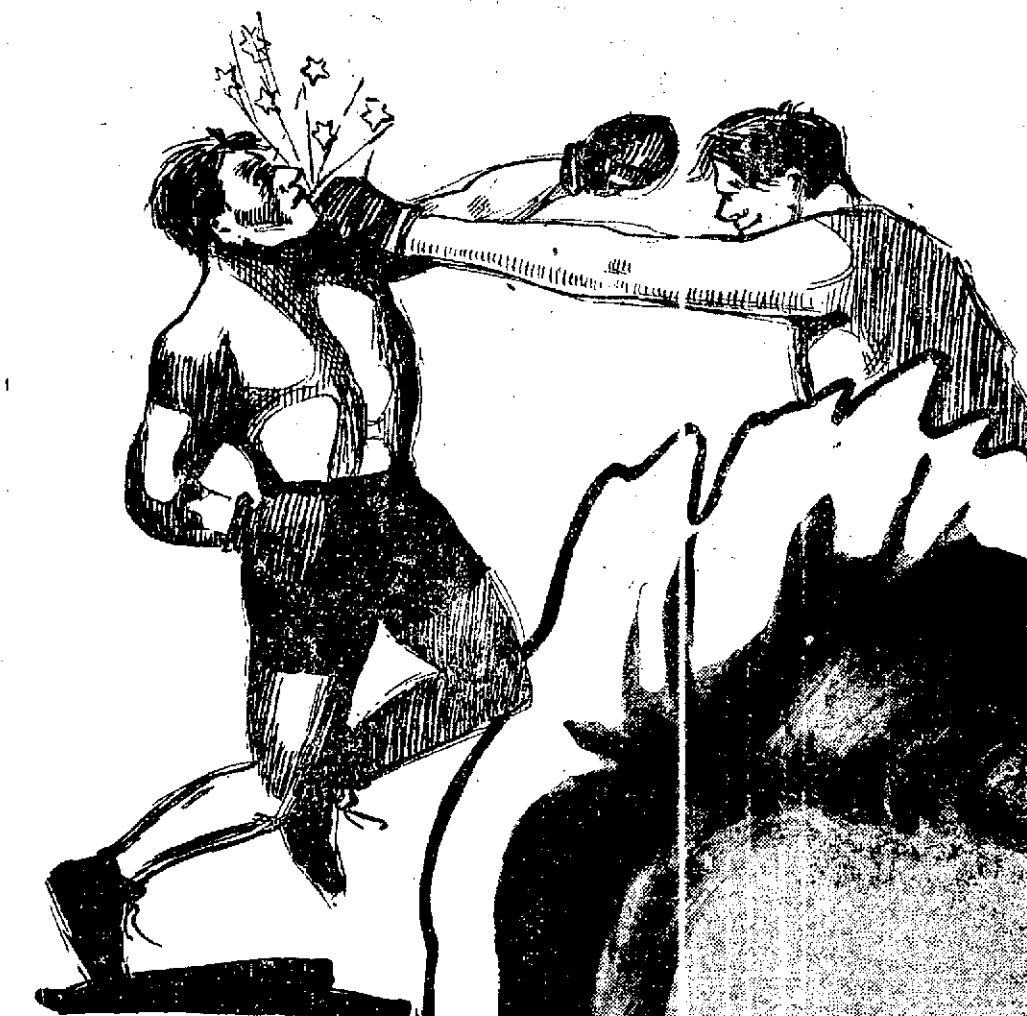
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HERRERA FIGHTS A DRAW.

BAKERSFIELD MEXICAN MAKES POOR SHOWING IN MILWAUKEE.

Last night Aurelio Herrera, the Bakersfield Mexican, fought Charles Neary of Milwaukee to a draw in a six-round bout before the Badger Athletic Club of Milwaukee. According to the dispatches Herrera had the best of the contest on points but lacked force to his blows.

Every round was in favor of the Mexican; except the fourth when Neary staggered his man in a fierce mixup with a right to the jaw. The end of the round found Herrera bleeding from the right ear and Neary with a badly split lip. The sixth and last round ended with a fierce mix-up with both men strong and the referee declared the bout a draw.

It is something unusual for Herrera to lack force to his blows. In all of his fights in the West his fault has always been in the lack of science and all of his fights, that he has won, have been won on a single punch. He beat Kid Bread in the fourth round with a hard right to the jaw and Eddie Santry in the thirteenth with the same kind of a blow.

In his fight with Louis Long and Jack Corbell, he went against men who were too clever for him and he could not reach them with his punch. The only conclusion to be derived from last night's bout is that Herrera has retrograded considerably in the pugilistic scale and is what is termed a "has-been."

MILITARY SOCIETY'S DINNER.

NEW YORK, January 9.—Military pomp has attended the annual dinner of the Veterans Corps of Artillery, Veterans' Military Society of 1812. Incidentally the great victory of Jackson, at New Orleans, eighty-nine years ago, was duly commemorated.

The toasts, of which there were six, were all inherited from previous banquets of the corps. General James Grant Wilson, who responded to the toast "George Washington," which has been handed down from the dinner of the corps held on July 4, 1814, told of a visit to the estate in England of the Duke of Wellington.

"When I was shown in the stately drawing-room," said the General, "I States in the war of 1812, declared it on the ground that he could not fight against Washington's countrymen."

Of the 734 original members of the corps only one is now living—Hiram Cook of Sackett Harbor. He is 104 years old.

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Idora Park management announces attractions for this afternoon and Sunday afternoon. The climate of Oakland gives the park management the opportunity to keep the park open nearly the entire year with the exception of a few weeks during the rainy season. The price of admission is ten cents for adults and five cents for children. Tomorrow there will be a free concert by the Idora Park band for which Bandmaster Joseph L. Callaghan has been specially engaged.

The following excellent program of popular music will be rendered:

March, "American Republic"; Thiele's overture, "Morning, Noon and Night"; Supper, selection, "The Prince of Milan"; Lullaby, waltz, "Esanita"; Rosey, lull, "The Will in the Forest"; Ellensberg; (a) "The Brook" (b) "The Mill"; characteristic, "Whispering Smith"; Willis; intermission; march, "Elks Carnival"; Callaghan's overture, "Tambour de Garde"; Thiele's cornet solo, selected, "Thomas Vargus"; selection, "The Sultan of Sulu"; Walthall; Romance and Shadow Dance, Meyerbeer; minuet, "I Pagliacci"; Leoncavallo; scenes from "The Chaperons"; Wetmark; melody, selection, "The Mocking Bird"; Rosenfeld.

Besides the musical program there will be the toboggan slide, laughing gallery, coal mine, etc., which are enjoyed by the young and which should draw big crowds to Idora Park.

BLIND ORATOR WILL LECTURE.

J. B. Osborne, the blind lecturer from Denver, Colo., will lecture at Socialist Headquarters, 405 Eighth street, Sunday evening, January 10 at 8 o'clock. His subject will be, "The Material Conception of History." The public is invited. Admission free.

ADVOCATES MILITARY DRILL.

LONDON, January 9.—Audyard Kipling, in a letter to Sir Simon Edward Hawkins, advocates that ten per cent of the time devoted to cricket and football in the British public schools should be allotted to military drill.

TO NAME BISHOPS.

OGDENSBURG, N. Y., January 9.—It is announced that the Ogdenburg delegate to the coming convention to name a coadjutor to Bishop William Croswell Doane of Albany will present the name of James Dow Morrison, bishop of Duluth.

LIMA BAKERS WIN.

NEW YORK, January 9.—The strike of the bakers has ended, says a Herald dispatch from Lima, Peru. The sub-prefect induced the contending parties to settle on the basis of an advance of 35 cents a day in wages.

MANAGERS SIGN TWO GAMES FOR TOMORROW.

COAST LEAGUE TEAMS WILL CONTAIN MANY NEW FACES. PLAYERS MAKE A KICK ABOUT THE OFFICIAL SCORING.

The Pacific Coast League baseball managers are beginning to get busy with their contracts and are getting signatures to the same for the approaching season.

The league games at Golden Gate tomorrow will be as follows:
12:30 p. m.—Equitables and Gaitner-Mattens. Batteries—Flynn, Tyson and Byrnes; Baum, O'Bannon and Eagar or Dashiwood.

2:45 p. m.—Jesse Moores and Joaquin. Batteries—Loh and Sullivan; Perrine, Goslinsky, Russell and Hammon.

The teams are pretty evenly matched and close games are looked for. The manager of the Joaquin is dickering with Charles Schwartz and will probably land that player. He is also communicating with several other players, but declines to make their names public until he has them all signed up.

The Gaitner-Mattens and the Joaquin are commencing the scoring of "Bill" Curtin, who also manager the Jesse Moores. Dunleavy stole four bases and everybody remarked about his footness on the paths. In the official score, Curtin gave Dunleavy but one stolen base. At another time, one player had two easy chances and let them slip right through his hands. Instead of crediting that player with two errors, as he should, he credited each of his men with hits. This is one of the reasons why the Jesse Moores are having such high averages.

At various other times, players of the Joaquin hit the ball so hard at the opposing players that the ball could not be handled. He will give the fielder an error, where the batter might have been given a hit. He appears to be very partial to the San Francisco players.

The umpire, Sam Merles, is a very square man, but the very best of them are at fault sometimes. Last Sunday, after the score was tied between the Knitters and Distillers, and the Distillers had two men out and also two men on bases, he called the batter his base on balls, when everybody directly behind the batter said that the ball was a perfect strike and would have made three strikes and retired the side. This eventually cost the Knitters the game, because the next batter was also given his base on balls and one run was forced over the plate.

GOOD GAMES FOR TOMORROW.

ALBION ROVERS WILL PLAY VAMPIRES AT IDORA PARK.

The three league games scheduled for tomorrow are Albion Rovers and Vampires at Idora Park, Oakland; Oakland Hornets and Occidentals on the Alameda grounds, and Pickweeds and Independents in San Francisco.

The pick of the three outings should be the Idora Park game, where, if the Rovers play up to their last week's form, someone is going to receive a surprise package. The game in Alameda should also prove a great contest, with a slightly different result of that of the last meeting between these two clubs.

The Rovers and Hornets will put the same teams in the field as they had last week. All three games will begin at 2:30 p. m.

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The Meddler



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MISS LETITIA BARRY
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THE ONLY PATTI.

I don't quite know what the people who are criticizing Madame Patti expected. How could anyone expect that she could sing as well at sixty as she sang at forty? None of the Eastern critics has asserted that she could, and I can't see that there was any bunco game about this performance. Those who paid their six dollars a seat to hear her were evidently people who could well afford it, and they evidently thought it well worth while. They came to see if the voice could recall the voice that thrilled them years ago. As a matter of fact, the sweet round, full tones of the middle register did recall the loved voice to their minds. The first number—the charming solo sung by Fritz Scheff in the "Marriage of Figaro," was a great disappointment. Patti did not sing it as well as did Frauline Scheff, though Patti's voice is still much bigger than that of the tiny comedienne. Some of the upper notes, however, were decidedly shrill, while the lower notes were those of a throaty contralto. Those who knew Patti well winced at some of the shrill notes and shook their heads as though sorry they had come. Oddly enough, the prima donna sang with notes and even for her encore "The Last Rose of Summer." She carried a book for the words, as though afraid to trust her memory. The ballad was more pleasing, but I, for one, dreaded the Jewel Song from "Faust." When it came, it was so much better than anyone expected that the house quite went wild. It had been transported, of course, to a lower key, but it was sung with a great deal of the old brilliancy and art—and no one ever claimed to sing the Jewel Song as well as Patti did. For an encore came "Home, Sweet Home," with the old trick of stage business where the singer wiped the lower left hand corner of her eye very, very carefully. Now an opera singer has no home, and Patti above all others is a cosmopolite. She was born in this country and I don't suppose she ever thinks of New York as "home," and probably she never shed a tear over that sentiment in all her butterfly years. But she always wiped her eye in it, and she still does it. The audience was so insistent that "Comin' Thro' the Rye" followed, as "Robin Adair" had followed "Last Rose of Summer." "Comin' Thro' the Rye" was one of her famous old ballads. She sang it with pouring coquetry and much of the old manner, and dropped a saucy little courtesy at the end. It's a mighty dangerous thing to be kittenish at sixty, but Patti did it as though she enjoyed it, and went off the stage nodding her little head, just as she came on with the little short steps so well remembered of old. She had a great ovation, with bravos for the Jewel Song and the Scotch ballad, and the flowers that went over the footlights and were thrown from the boxes to the stage were truly beautiful. It must have made her very happy to hear that storm of applause from a city that always loved her. Applause is dear, and most of us are beyond provoking any great enthusiasm at sixty.



MABEL C. DOTKINS
BERKELEY
PHOTO HILL & DAVIDSON

whole performance was her singing of "The Last Rose of Summer."

"Thus fondly I scatter thy leaves o'er the bed,
Where thy mates of the garden lie scentless and dead."

How typical of her own fate! Where are they now—the men and women who sang with Patti in the younger years? Etelka Gerster, mad and now dead; Nicolini, dead; Schallch, fat and forgotten; Emma Nevada, far more of a wreck at forty than Patti at sixty. Patti has ten times more voice and a hundred times more art than Nevada had when last she was here. And so, take it all in all, a very wonderful performance, and one that I would not have cared to have missed.

There never was much warmth or sympathy in Patti's voice, though there was a great deal of magnetism. She had nothing of the sympathy which lies in Sembrich's tropical tenor. For all her coquettish and affairs of the heart, Patti was never supposed to possess much genuine passion. It was the beauty and brilliancy of a perfect organ and a gift for comedy which appealed in Patti.

The house on Thursday night was a wonderful thing. The marvel of it was that so many people whom one never saw before possessed six dollars to pay for a concert ticket. There were many fashionable people, but fully half the best seats in the house

were occupied by people entirely unknown, even by sight, to the society reporter. That accounted for the small number of carriages—only about a hundred for all that big house.

As might have been expected from what has been said, there were few women in the orchestra who possessed the proper sort of gown, or dared to wear it, if they did. San Francisco is notoriously provincial in this regard—we are not very far from the red shirt age, apparently. Only a few of the women in orchestra chairs were beautifully dressed, the Misses Hager, for instance, Mrs. Walter Dean and Mrs. Camille d'Arville Crellin, who was with them. Mrs. Athearn Folger wore a beautiful decollete Parisian frock of white and black and orange with jetted leaves and gold combs in her hair, and a beautiful cloak, of which the lower part and collar were of ermine, while the yoke and sleeves were of cloth of gold.

The women in the boxes were, of course, well dressed for the most part. Mrs. Rudolph Spreckels was by far the handsomest of them, in white, very decollete, with a collar of pearls and diamonds, a tiara of diamonds in her hair and a boa of white ostrich feathers. Miss Phelan in the same box and Mrs. Osgood Hooker were in black. Miss Cora Jane Flood in a black decollete gown and ropes of pearls looked very well. Mrs. Jimmie

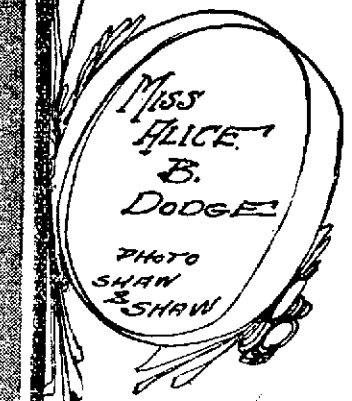
Flood wore white and Miss Sallie Maynard, in the same box, pink. Above them, Mrs. Will Taylor, Mrs. Fred McNear and Miss Bertha Dilbeer were in high necked dresses. In the next box, Miss Ardella Mills and Miss Bernie Brown were properly dressed in low-necked frocks, Miss Brown in blue. On the other side of the house Mrs. M. H. de Young was in black, decollete. In the next box Miss Russell, the step-daughter of Eugene de Sabla, was a striking figure in pale blue, decollete, with a blue ostrich feather boa and a wreath of pink apple blossoms in her blonde hair.

In the orchestra, silk waists, sack coats and other abominations were not infrequent. Mayor Schmitz had a loge party, to which M. Ruef came late, and, on the other side, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Hart had a loge party in which they entertained Donald de V. Graham, Enrique Grau and Dr. Steuart. One theater party consisted of Miss Mabel Cluff, Miss Pearl Landers, Miss Helen de Young, E. M. Greenway, Jack Wilson and Jack Spreckels. The Frank Sullivan had another theater party, and one of the prettiest things in the audience was the number of children and young people, for no one under twenty has heard Patti to any purpose, unless he or she has heard her abroad. These young folks were wide-eyed.

They did not hear Patti at her best, but still they heard and saw the prima donna of the age.

So far as appearance went, the wonderful old woman looked exceedingly well with the lights behind her. She is a little plumper than when she was here fourteen years ago, but she is far from fat and she has a slender round waist, a beautiful neck and bust and firm, round, small arms. She looks about forty-five. Her very decollete gown was of cloth of silver, fitting her like a sheath, and great bunches of embroidered purple grapes fell over it. The gown was almost sleeveless, and had a long and graceful train. In her hair, which is redder than it used to be, was a silver butterfly, and on the corsage a few jewels and some decorations were worn. A pearl and diamond collar hugged the throat, and concealed any little tell-tale lines which might be. Perhaps Patti realizes that nothing hardens and ages a face like diamonds near it—earrings, for example. There are two deep and heavy lines at either side of the mouth, but the eyes, which were always one of the beauties of the face, possess their some almond loveliness, and the brows are beautifully curved. Patti walks like a woman of twenty-five, a walk full of spring, and she carries her head like a sprightly hummingbird.

God grant that we are all as comely



MISS ALICE B. DODGE
PHOTO SHAW & SHAW

at sixty as is this wonderful little female Ponce de Leon of the twentieth century!

Only a few Oaklanders were in the audience, but among them I noticed the Will Magees and the Fred McNears.

HOUSE PARTY OVER NEW YEAR'S.

Mr. Richard M. Hotelling entertained a house party over New Year's, which commenced on the first day of the year and broke up with regret on the following Monday. Mr. Hotelling's guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deering, Dr. and Mrs. Russell Cool, Miss Hennessey, Mr. Fred Greenwood, Mr. Charles Earle and Mr. Charles K. Field. From Friday to Monday of this week Mr. Hotelling is entertaining a house party in honor of Miss Katherine Dillon and Miss Jennie Blair. The party is made up of a number of San Francisco people.

OAKLANDERS AT THE DE YOUNG'S.

Several guests from this side of the bay were at the M. H. de Young vaudeville on New Year's eve. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ralston and Mrs. Lucie May Hayes. The vaudeville show was a great success, the hit of the evening being made by Mrs. Jack Spreckels, who has a gift at mimicry which is quite unique. Mrs. Spreckels is a pliant little lady, very petite, youthful looking and slender, with the charm and vivacity of youth. She does not look like the mother of a lusty daughter. She is to be matron of honor at the wedding of Jack Wilson and Miss Mabel Cluff, at which the two elder de Young girls and Pearl Landers will be bridesmaids and Mr. Hotelling best man. The wedding will take place at the Palace Hotel, where the Cluffs live, early in February. The events of the week in San Francisco society were the two dinners, one given at the Bohemian Club on Tuesday evening, where Mr. James D. Phelan was host and Miss Alys Sullivan, his niece, the guest of honor, and the other on Friday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. Cluff were the hosts at the Palace Hotel at a large dinner to friends of their daughter and Mr. Wilson. The decorations at Mr. Phelan's dinner were most elaborate,

consisting of snow over all the pictures and greens in the Red Room, and jonquils, hyacinths and tulips on the table.

THE DODGE TEA IN ALAMEDA.

One of the prettiest teas which has been given in Alameda for a long time was that at which Mrs. Richard J. Dodge was the hostess on Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Dodge was assisted in receiving by her two married daughters, Mrs. Pond, Mrs. Herman Krusi, Mrs. F. W. Read, Miss Waite and several others. The house, which was prettily decorated, was crowded during the receiving hours. Refreshments were served down stairs in the ball room, where there was music. During the reception hours from three to six, which seem to be the fashionable hours for teas for women only, several hundred guests called.

RECEPTIONS EVERY DAY IN SAN FRANCISCO.

A number of big receptions are announced across the bay for every day between now and Lent, which commences February 17th. There have been two or three every day this week. On Monday, Mrs. Minter and Mrs. Tewksbury had their first day at home at The Grenada. On Tuesday Mrs. Horace Davis, Mrs. Norris Davis and Mrs. Frederick King, assisted by a bevy of ladies, gave their first "at home" at Mrs. Davis' spacious home. On Tuesday, also, Mrs. Charles Slack held her first "at home" for the month. She will be at home every Tuesday in January. On Wednesday, Miss Frances Jolliffe was hostess at an informal tea. On Thursday Miss Mae Colburn was hostess at a small "Four O'clock" for Mrs. Macfarlane of Hawaii. Friday Mrs. Dougherty and Mrs. Clement held their last "at home" at the Pleasanton, and the Sketch Club was at home to its friends. On Saturday, the Twentieth Century Musical Club gave its last concert for the season, and on Thursday morning the San Francisco Musical Club gave a delightful organ recital at Trinity church, where Mr. Louis Eaton was the star.

There are many things on for next week. Beside those ladies who are keeping regular days, Mrs. Horace

Davis holds her second and last reception on Tuesday, and on the sixteenth there will be a tea given by Miss Gertrude Palmer for Mrs. Macfarlane and Mrs. Austin Sperry, the Misses Sperry, Mrs. Austin Sperry Jr. and Mrs. Horace Sperry have sent out cards for men as well as women for a large tea to be given at Mrs. Austin Sperry's residence, 2100 Pacific avenue between four and six.

There will scarcely be time to breathe between now and Lent, but that is what society likes and enjoys, and then there's a good rest comin'.

CARD PARTY AT MISS WHITE'S.

Miss Florence White will entertain on Saturday for the brides-to-be, Miss Burdge, Miss Moore and Miss Barry.

WILL GIVE A DINNER.

On Wednesday of next week Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Colby will give a dinner in honor of Miss Burdge and Mr. Miller at the Colbys' delightful home on Larkin street, San Francisco. Mr. Colby and Mr. Miller have been closely associated in Sierra Club outings, in which both have been prominent for several years, and the Miller and Wilson and Vrooman families have been most intimate friends for years.

MR. HALL IN BOHEMIA.

One of the most successful speeches at the Bohemian Club Christmas dinner last Saturday night was made by Frederick Hall, the lawyer, whose witty remarks provoked much applause. Among other things that he said was that it was not safe for bachelors to sit in high places in Bohemia, for last year the president was laid low by one of Cupid's darts, while this year the wily little fellow had brought down not the president, but one of the board of directors (Mr. Jack Wilson).

OPENING OF THE CHILDREN'S ROOM.

At last the long-expected opening of the children's room in the Free Library building took place on Tuesday afternoon. Many plans had been made by the members of Ebell to receive the children, but it ended by the children receiving the ladies in great style.

It is the custom of the members to appear in their best reception gowns and the newest up-to-date bonnets, and to receive visiting guests with much formal dignity. But this time their careful preparations went promptly by the board. The young guests simply swarmed into the building, quite regardless of even the existence of such a club as Ebell. What did they care whether the society woman had real lace applique on her gown or not. And the Paris bonnet did not at all appeal to the little girl who had come to find her favorite fairy tales.

The ladies were promptly swept aside by the tide of young humanity, and their duties as a reception committee never even began. They were simply onlookers, from the hour the doors were opened. Mr. McElmonds tried to make a speech, but what did any one want of a speech? The real thing in the way of a children's room was there, and nobody wanted a speech.

The merry throng just simply swarmed into, and all over the room. And when it became too crowded, the children were requested to move on. They did move on, out one door and around the corner and in the other door. It is so nice to have two doors in sight when you are requested to move on!

Such lectures as we have listened to in the past months—at Ebell—from the free library, as to the necessity of cultivating the children's tastes for



MISS ELSIE V. REINOHLE
(Photo Brackett.)

books. We can have our theories, and formulate all the plans we choose, but all the same, the American boy knows just what he wants.

And so he came up and bravely confronted Librarian Greene. "Say, mister, have you got 'Foxy Grandpa' in this library?" On being assured that 'Foxy Grandpa' would be forthcoming, he announced the intention of "all the fellows to take out a card."

"I can see one thing," said one of the bright women of Ebell. "It will be up to the library trustees to get in a whole cargo of 'Foxy Grandpas'."

Another group of boys peered anxiously over the shelves, and finally they mustered up courage and came up to Mrs. Scupham. "Will you please tell us where they keep the Katzenjammers?"

And so it was very evident to the onlooker that while the literary tastes of the children was to be directed in the paths of higher culture, not a path would the children elude if they did not find a 'Foxy Grandpa', or the bad little 'Katzenjammer Kids'.

It was expected, of course, that the children would evince a due amount of reverence for all this luxury that had been prepared for them. They would no doubt appreciate the merits of the weathered oak cases, and oak tables, the artistic effect of the pictures, and growing plants, and perhaps some very nice children indeed might be led to express to the committee their thanks for it all. But it was too funny for words to watch how they just did nothing of the kind. They poured into the room and took possession of it.

They filled all the window places, appropriated all the tables, took the books—it was their room, and they proposed to be at home in it. The Ebell committee drew a long breath, retired from the field of action, and watched the scene from a near by corner.

It was almost the same thing in the evening.

The speakers tried to be dignified, but they couldn't stand up against the "jolly up" atmosphere that was in the air. There is something so intensely human about the influence of children, that heavy dignity goes down before it. And the guests of the evening insensibly caught the influence—the speeches were shorter than anybody meant them to be; nobody said what he had intended to, and ten o'clock saw a merry gathering in the children's room.

Willing hands moved the tables, the orchestra struck up the good old-fashioned Virginia reel, "Money Musk" sounded through the stately halls; Librarian Greene rose to the occasion, and chose his partner, so did everybody else. Forward and backward, and down the middle they went—such bowing, such marching, such good old time dancing, and when it wasn't one's turn to march down the middle, one kept time to the merry music.

And the Virginia reel was only a beginning, for the orchestra grew enthusiastic, and sent out the strains of the time honored waltz. Oh, but the young people should have been there to see how they danced, not so very many years ago, either. It was none of your monotonous two-steps, but the swinging rhythm of the waltz, and how these people danced! And it was all because it was in the children's room—in the happy land, where nobody ever grows old.

We have really done a fine thing for the city in the opening of the children's room, and we perhaps had the most unique and original room on record—a fine mixture of 'Foxy Grandpa', the Katzenjammers, the Virginia reel, Money Musk, with here and there a speech thrown in. But what did it matter? Anybody can make a heavy old speech. It's the divine touch of nature that counts. "One touch of nature makes the whole world kin."

And that's what we had on the opening of the children's room, and some of us could wish in our hearts that we had it more often, to lighten the heavy conventionalities of social life.

EVENTS AT THE EBELL CLUB.

The club calendar of Ebell shows interesting dates for January. The members of the First Art Section will entertain on the third Tuesday of this month, and on the last Tuesday a lecture will be given at Ebell, by William Frederick Bode, whose subject is "With the Birds."

On next Tuesday, at twelve, there will be served the regular monthly luncheon at Ebell, and a number of prominent guests are expected to be present.

Among the speakers will be Mrs. William Childs, who has recently returned from a trip to the Orient, and in Russia. Mrs. Childs started for a tour of the world with Mrs. J. M. Hinkle, but illness in her family cut short her tour. Mrs. Hinkle has continued the trip on the continent.

Mrs. Childs' talk will be specially interesting just now, as the Oriental trouble is challenging the attention of all nations. Mrs. Childs and Mrs. Hinkle made a very thorough tour of India, spending many weeks in the interior about Delhi and the Punjab district. They were carried up the mountains by Tibetans to witness a sunrise on the Himalayas. Mrs. Childs traveled from one end of Russia to

the other, and she speaks of the immensity of the territory and the enormous strength of the Russian nation. Her talk ought to prove the most interesting of any that Ebell has listened to in a very long time.

Mrs. Childs will also be the most prominent speaker at the meeting of the popular Forum club in San Francisco next week.

THE DAY AT HOME.

It is devoutly to be wished that each district of the city would adopt a day at home. If that were the case one could easily work off a long calling list in a couple of weeks. In our city, there are prominent families in almost every section, and the distances are long, so that there is a great loss of time and energy in going over the ground so many times.

A beginning has been made, and many hostesses are hoping it will be followed up.

For Fruitvale, they keep Monday, and one always finds Mrs. Clay at home on that day. The Sanborns and Hushes have also Monday, and many of the Lakeside contingent have also adopted that day, among them the Burnhams, Mrs. George S. Wheaton, the Goodalls, Stolps and Kules, and Schillings.

Mrs. J. Loran Pease keeps two Tuesdays each month, and she stays rigorously at home.

Mrs. John Charles Adams keeps Tuesdays, at Bay Place. She has a large calling list of San Francisco friends, and she sees to it that they find her at home when they take the trouble to cross the bay.

The R. G. Browns have always had Wednesdays for their day at home. And their drawing room always shows an informal reception on that day, for the neighbors come in and bring their work, and life moves along friendly lines, over the cheerful cup of tea.

At Highlands and Alta Vista, Wednesday is always the day at home, and both Mrs. Regua and Mrs. Butters have a large number of friends on the other side of the bay.

It will easily be seen how social matters could be simplified, if hostesses would agree on a neighborhood day at home.

MR. AND MRS. REGUA WERE ENTERTAINED.

Mr. and Mrs. Regua have returned from Honolulu, where they were extensively entertained, and both are looking extremely well after their interesting trip. Mrs. Regua always wears such becoming gowns, and as she carries herself superbly, she is one of the most dignified women in society. She is one of the very few who can wear lavender or violet, and even deep purple, and these colors are very appropriate for her. Just now she is wearing a tailor gown, in a most becoming effect in black.

The wide sleeves show violet linings, at the throat is a touch of violet, and one notes the superb amethyst brooch, in a big pansy design. The French bonnet is made entirely of soft rich violets, and magnificent sable furs complete one of the handsomest costumes seen on our streets this winter. Mrs. Regua belongs to the helpful women who do things, instead of talking about them, and for that reason many people would like to have her at the head of a club.

"What would you do about tree-planting, Mrs. Regua?" asked a club woman the other day.

"Why, I'd see that the streets were cleaned up first, of course," she answered. And she would, too. If she had her way, we would have clean streets, and we would have a great many other things very good for us, if Mrs. Regua were at the head of some organization to push things along.

LISTEN TO THE WOMEN.

It would be a very good thing if the wise legislators who make the laws for our nation could listen to the women's side of some of these national issues. Women are good careful students these days. They ought to be enough of time and money is spent upon their education. Besides, it often comes their way to work out theories in a practical fashion. To them, just now, the absorbing problem of the hour is the domestic service problem. Every housekeeper wants her own home, of course, but it is a problem how she is going to keep it, unless she spends most of her days in the kitchen, and that leads her to consider the immigration laws. She has been told that the presence of an inferior race will crowd the white people out of work. She has not found it that way.

The work is still there, and she cannot find the white people to do it. The law of evolution has pushed the white people up the scale, and the housekeepers all over the land are looking calmly up at the wise legislators, and saying, "What are you going to do about it?"

OAKLANDERS GO ACROSS THE BAY.

Some interesting San Francisco dates have called Oaklanders across the bay this week. The Misses O'Connor entertained at the University Club at a large luncheon, and among their



MISS LOTTIE BARTELS.
(Photo Shaw & Shaw.)

guests were Mrs. Isaac Regua and Mrs. Oscar Long. The latter is a great friend of Miss Maud O'Connor.

Teas are much more interesting than card parties, when the social function is on the other side of the bay. It does not take up the entire afternoon, and one can keep the dinner hour at home.

Mrs. Ferdinand Stephenson was the hostess at a large tea, given at the artistic Stephenson home. One of the prettiest gowns on that occasion was worn by Miss Margaret Sinclair. Among the guests was Mrs. Harden Crawford of New York City.

Another hostess who is entertaining a great deal this winter is Mrs. A. B. Costigan. The Costigans are staying for the winter at the fashionable St. Dunstan's, and at the latter place Mrs. Costigan gave a large luncheon in honor of Miss Margaret Wilson of Baltimore.

Among the handsome gowns on that occasion were those of Mrs. Shias Palmer, and Mrs. Ritchie Livingstone Dunn.

ENGAGEMENT OF MISS BURDGE.

Miss Maud Burdge, the pretty bride-elect, whose engagement to Mr. Bernard Miller was recently announced has been the recipient of many compliments during the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Butters gave a coaching party in her honor and this week, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hanson gave a dinner for her at their home on Vernon Heights.

One of the large teas of the future is planned for January 19, when Miss May Coogan will entertain all of the younger set. The tea will be given at the Coogan residence and the guests of honor will be Miss Mae Burdge, Miss Edna Barry and Miss Jacqueline Moore.

Miss Christie Taft will also entertain in honor of Miss Mae Burdge, for she is planning in her honor a luncheon to a large number of guests, the luncheon to be at the Piedmont Clubhouse.

WILL GO TO KENTUCKY.

Doctor and Mrs. William Bell Bullitt and their children will leave next week for their home in Kentucky, after a delightful visit to the Ralston at Piedmont and among the pleasant affairs planned for them was a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. C. O. G. Miller at their home on Alice street.

A TIDE OF ENGAGEMENTS.

There seems to be a tide of the most interesting engagement announcements this year and one of them really did come in the nature of a surprise. Usually we pretend to be greatly surprised although the affair has been going on right under our eyes all the time and one couldn't help seeing every chapter of the pretty story.

The surprise engagement was that of Miss Geraldine Scupham and Mr. George Steele Lackie. The engagement was announced on Thursday, at one of the largest teas of the winter, representing a brilliant gathering.

The invitations were for the most part sent out over the telephone. Mrs. J. R. Scupham saying it was "just to meet a few friends, very informally." The informal "at home" proved to be a large and elaborate "at home"—the environment for an engagement announcement which brought great pleasure to many friends. Mr. Lackie is the assistant cashier of the California Bank, and is the able and very popular president of St. Andrew's Society, which numbers among its members many prominent descendants of old Scotia.

The announcement of the engage-

the tea was Miss Lillie Moller, and her beautiful Parisian costume was much admired. Miss Moller has just returned from abroad, and her beautiful lace opera wrap showed French effects. Her hat was of lace with a band of sable.

Miss Moller does not at all represent the usual University graduate. She won all the honors at college, and was one of the speakers at commencement, and she has been at Radcliffe. But for all that she is the sweetest and most unaffected girl possible, and with such a keen sense of humor that you have a good time whenever you happen to meet her.

Mrs. Willard Williamson wore a very striking New York gown, and her costume was set off by beautiful furs.

Mrs. M. C. Chapman looked very handsome in a gown of white, and many people thought the very prettiest girl in the drawing room was Miss Evelyn Hussey, who wore a gown of white silk, the corsage showing a very beautiful berthe of rare lace.

Mrs. Charles Lovell looked extremely well; her gown was set off by a white opera wrap, and she wore a wide picture hat in black effects.

Mrs. George Borneman wore a most effective costume in violet tones. The gown had a very pretty French effect in trimming, and the hat matched the pretty costume, carrying out the violet color scheme.

Mrs. Frank Watson wore a calling costume in dark tones, and very richly trimmed in lace.

Mrs. Frederick Morse is wearing an exceedingly handsome reception gown this winter, of dark purple and richly trimmed in lace.

Mrs. J. Loran Pease wore a gown of dark blue purple tulle. It was worn with a wide blue hat, and furs completed the effective costume.

Miss Wilhelmina Koenig was in black, the gown showing a heavy trimming of jet.

The Misses Rutherford have returned to Oakland, after some months spent on the other side of the bay, and they were among the guests at the engagement reception.

Other effective costumes of the afternoon were those of Mrs. Churchill Taylor, Mrs. Paul Lehae, Mrs. C. E. Parcells, Mrs. Vance, Miss Trevor, Mrs. Charles E. Cotton, Mrs. E. A. Kluegel, Mrs. Alfred Eastland, Mrs. Wilton Bulkeley, Mrs. Clarence Wetmore, Miss Connors, Mrs. W. A. Jacobs, Miss Gray, Mrs. Hume, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. George Shaw, Mrs. Warren Olney, Dr. Knox, Mrs. Walsh, Miss Craig, Mrs. E. T. Henshaw, Mrs. Gordon Stelp, Mrs. Yorker, Miss Pope, Mrs. Murvey Johnson, Mrs. Kirk.

During the afternoon refreshments were served, and the tea was a most enjoyable reunion of friends.

The wedding of Miss Scupham and Mr. Lackie is set for early in the spring, and no doubt there will be many entertainments in honor of the bride-elect during the winter months.

LARGE PARTY FOR CHILDREN.

The traditional dear old Mother Goose book is the favorite one in many households just now, for Mrs. William Dunning is sending out this week cards of invitation for a "Mother Goose Party," and, of course, the mothers are full of interest, in choosing the costumes for the grand occasion.

Mother Goose rhymes are the order of the hour, and in many households Mother Goose melodies take precedence over the news of the day.

Mrs. Dunning is entertaining in honor of her young daughters, Deborah and Helen Dunning, and the Mother Goose party will be given on



MRS. A. K. BAIRD.
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MISS JOSIE MAISON.
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the afternoon of the twenty-third in Reed hall. There will be a Mother Goose procession. Miss Alya Miller will have charge of the dancing, and refreshments will be served during the afternoon. It will be a gala day for the little children fortunate enough to be Mrs. Dunning's guests.

BACK FROM THE EAST.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parcells have arrived from the East, and will make their permanent home with Mrs. Charles B. Parcells on Webster street. Mrs. Parcells and her daughter will be at home to friends Wednesdays in January, and Thursday evenings in January, and the affairs will be in the nature of informal receptions.

LARGE DANCING PARTY.

The largest dancing party of next week will be that of the Friday Night Club, to be given in Reed hall next Friday evening. It is to be an assembly, and the patronesses are making every effort to make it a most successful dance. There are some interesting dinner dates to precede the dance.

The patronesses who expect to be present are Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Mrs. William Goodfellow, Mrs. M. W. Kales, Mrs. Edward Walsh, Mrs. L. A. Chase, Mrs. W. H. Chickering, and Mrs. D. H. Mathes.

DELIGHTFUL NAVAL AFFAIR.

One of the most delightful naval affairs of the season will be the dinner to be given this evening at the home of Senator George C. Perkins. The elaborate affair has been planned in honor of Fred K. Perkins and Sam Knowles, who have just returned from a cruise around the world. Miss Mabel Quatman and her fiancé, Lieutenant Mitchell, will also be guests of honor at this happy event. About forty guests will enjoy the hospitality of the beautiful home on Vernon Heights this evening. The decorations are certain to be something unique and exquisite, probably some naval idea delightfully presented, since the guests of honor stand high in naval circles.

The date for Miss Quatman's wedding has been set for February 3rd, and will be a brilliant affair.

MRS. ROE'S RECEPTION.

Mrs. D. R. Roe has sent out cards for a large reception at the Hotel Metropole on the afternoon of Saturday, the sixteenth. The hours are from 4 to 6, and the guest list is a large one. Mrs. Roe has invited a number of young girls to assist her in receiving, among them Miss May Coogan and Miss Mollie Mathes, and her niece, Miss Mabel Toy, one of the prominent debutantes of the winter in San Francisco.

THURSDAY WHIST CLUB.

Mrs. Guy C. Earl, Mrs. Charles E. Snook and Mrs. Roxborough will be the hostesses of the Thursday Whist Club next week. They will entertain at Eboli, and their guests will be: Mrs. Creed, Mrs. Whitney, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Stone, Mrs. Ayres, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Baxter, Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Reedman, Mrs. Ewer, Mrs. Parcells, Mrs. Todd, Mrs. Kenna, Mrs. Sharon, Mrs. High.

HOWARDS ARE IN PARIS.

Mrs. John L. Howard, Miss Jean Howard, and Master Sydney Howard are in Paris, where they will remain some weeks. Miss Eastland has gone to Southern California, and will spend the remainder of the winter at Pasadena.

Mrs. Victor Metcalf has been recently at Pittsburg, where she was the guest of Mrs. Kitzmiller. The latter was Mrs. Metcalf's guest here last summer, and a large tea was given in her honor by Mrs. George H. Wheaton. Mrs. Metcalf returned to Washington for the holidays, and was one of the guests at the New Year reception.

MISS PERKINS AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

One of the most interesting debutantes at the New Year reception at the White House was Miss Pansy Perkins, who accompanied her father, Senator George C. Perkins. Miss Perkins wore a very exquisite Paris gown, and was one of the most

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The KNAVE



**Miss Bonner's New
Book—Patti's
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SAN FRANCISCO, January 9.—The event of the week has been the announcement by Mayor Schmitz of the successful job chasers.

The list of the lucky ones contains a few surprises. It is a well-known fact that His Honor shifted the cards at the last moment. It was the original intention to place Tom Boyle, formerly business manager of the Bulletin, on the Board of Public Works. Boyle sacrificed his newspaper position to the Schmitz cause, but Abe Ruef wanted Woodward on the Works Board and he got him.

Boyle's job as a member of the Board of Education, however, is a very desirable one. The salary is \$3000 a year and the duties do not very seriously conflict with any other work a member of the board may care to carry on.

I understand the Mayor is to give one of his brothers the superintendency of the Alms House. That is the best job at his disposal. The Superintendent's salary is \$250 a month. The position of matron always goes to the Superintendent's wife. That carries \$80 a month, which makes a total of \$330 a month for the twain. Incidentally their living expenses are defrayed by the municipality and they are furnished a horse, buggy and carriage. It is understood that the Superintendent and his family eat and drink the best the market provides.

Jack Daughney, one of Martin Kelly's henchmen, who ran for Tax Collector on the Labor Ticket during the first Schmitz campaign, was to have been named Fire Commissioner, but he got lost in the shuffle. He will be given a deputyship on the Board of Works.

The week has been replete with sensations that have been carefully submerged in the quicksand of secrecy.

It was young Parker Whitney that started the ball rolling. Mr. Whitney and a number of friends had been out to the beach and in other ways were passing an evening in what is known as "doing the line." It is to be presumed they put away a lot of stuff that was once aptly described as "the tonic that makes a poor Irishman feel like a rich Jew." At all events, when the morning hours came stealing on young Parker Whitney and a couple of his ultra-gay companions wandered into the Cafe Morgan, on Eddy street, near Powell.

The Cafe Morgan is an easy going resort where young men with plenty of money and nothing under their hats but hair, meet the show girls and the unfortunates who are never seen on the public streets while the sun is working.

After saluting the habitude of the place with the airy-fairy guff so popular among the younger swells on this

side of the bay, young Parker's eyes lit upon the notorious Bogie O'Donnell, otherwise known as "Captain Bogardis," who is ever armed with a fierce-looking weapon containing six chambers of death which he calls "Big Betsey," alias "the smoke wagon."

In Mr. O'Donnell's inside coat pocket there was a sword fit for the king of executioners during the French revolution. In his vest pocket there was a charge of dynamite. In his shoes a razor, in his hat a flask of Prussian acid.

As Mr. Whitney approached Mr. O'Donnell, the "Bogie man" drew out the sword and was picking his teeth with the weapon and telling tales of his private graveyard to the young lady and her escort who were sitting at his table. Mr. Whitney half fell over Mr. O'Donnell's table. Some one had opened the rear door of Mr. Morgan's Cafe, which caused a draft and caused Mr. Whitney to wobble unsteadily on his pins. Mr. O'Donnell landed a right swing full on the left optic of the intruder.

They carried Mr. Parker Whitney out of the cafe and into a drug store, where all the leeches not otherwise engaged, were placed on the damaged eye.

Another event that has occasioned

much comment in the inner circles of the "line" is the row between James Wood Coffroth, America's greatest fight promoter, and Mr. Morris Levy, manager of the Hayes Valley Athletic Club.

Upon Mr. Coffroth's return from New York on the evening of January 2d he encountered Mr. Levy in a Market-street gathering place.

"Hello, Jim," shouted Levy.

Coffroth looked in the direction of the voice, but refused to recognize the speaker.

A moment afterward Morris approached the other promoter and, slapping him on the back, said:

"Jim, what's the matter with you?"

Coffroth turned upon Levy with a tirade of abuse and accused him of failing to send tickets to a number of people he listed before he started for the East.

Levy protested, saying he had sent the tickets. Coffroth denied it. Then Levy started in to explain. Coffroth stopped one of Morris' oratorical flights with a right on the jaw. A mix-up followed. Finally Levy got away and, rushing out on the sidewalk, met a friend, to whom he said, "Taint no shame to run when you are scared."

Later Morris summed up the situation by saying he would rather be a live dog than a dead lion.

So you see the new year is being

ushered in with all kinds of hurrahs.

Miss Geraldine Bonner has just published a book called "Tomorrow's Tangles." It deals with early life in San Francisco and is supposed to be extremely satirical.

I have been waiting for one of the Eastern literary Sherlock Holmes to "discover" Miss Bonner. Whenever a work appears dealing with a subject unfamiliar to the Eastern literary critic he immediately proceeds to "discover" the author. I don't want to be put in the light of a cad or a person who makes a specialty in abusing women, but in the republic of letters there is neither sex nor creed. I am not necessarily dealing with Miss Bonner personally. In the book Miss Bonner goes out of her way to say a great deal about the Irish people who helped build up this State. The identity of the persons attacked is obvious to any one familiar with the history of San Francisco during the golden years of the strenuous '50's and '60's. Miss Bonner speaks continuously and contemptuously about the "Aragant Irish," and refers to their primeval appearance.

Now Miss Bonner will explain that what she wrote was purely in the spirit of art and absolutely necessary to round out her work. But the thing is so obviously personal that the young woman will find it quite impossible to disassociate herself from her sentences. Miss Bonner, from what I can understand, is one of those persons raised in San Francisco who always looks down upon the Irish and their descendants for the reason that they were poor or sprung from the poor, but when attacking others Miss Bonner should always remember that her father, John Bonner, was discharged from the position of editorial writer for the San Francisco Chronicle for attempting to hold up a Democratic candidate for the United States Senate.

Well, poor old Adelina Patti—I should say rich old Adelina Patti—has

trilled for the people of San Francisco at \$6 a trill. With every trill went a chill, for even if you closed your eyes with all the screens in all the world you could not help seeing the ghost of the former song-bird.

It was really pathetic.

The old friends of the diva crowded the boxes and the lower floor of the Grand Opera House and did everything possible to warn up to a stage befitting the occasion, but their applause lacked heart and their smiles of approval were, nothing more than marks on masks.

I don't know that I ever witnessed a more pathetic sight than the diva's efforts to once again warble "The Last Rose of Summer," the most beautiful song that Ireland has produced. Her handling of "Robin Adair," an Irish

song which the Scotch claim, was the best thing she did.

There were moments while she confined herself to the middle register when there was an echo of the old sweetness; but when she flew among the high notes it was awful.

Though aged she still presents a pleasing appearance and for one of her years her voice is really wonderful. Her singing creates the sort of wonderment that a good fight put up by John L. Sullivan would occasion. You know that she ought to be "all in" and the fact that she is not "all in" makes you stop and think and remark that, after all art is great.

It was very fortunate that Patti was not permitted to sing at the pavilion, as was the original intention of the managers. She filled the Grand Opera House well enough, but she filled it with notes that were empty. I hope I shall never be called upon to pay \$6 to witness such a pathetic sight or listen to a once famous song-bird under like conditions again.

The Fire Commissioners prohibited the management from selling standing room. When this order was issued the men who look after the diva's business interests wanted to sell seats on the stage. It is a good thing they were prohibited from doing so. Seats on the stage would simply have emphasized the grotesqueness of the scene.

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IBSEN'S GHOSTS AT THE MACDONOUGH.

A Charnel House of Social Corruptions Exposed With Pitiless Pessimism By Finished Artists.

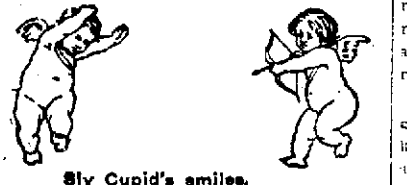
By Joseph E. Baker.

Ibsen is an acquired taste. Why anyone should ever desire to acquire a taste for Ibsen in the dramatic form is something of a puzzle to the great majority of those who saw "Ghosts" at the Macdonough last night. The subjects are loathsome. Not even the consummate art of a literary master nor the perfect delineation of a finished company of actors can make them attractive.

It cannot be deemed, however, that the play has a peculiar fascination for the moment. It is the spell of the horrible. The place is full of hideous suggestions; its climax is too unutterable, hopeless despair. I cannot recall in all the annals of the drama such a complete defeat of innocence, virtue and truth. It would convey a powerful moral, but for its frightful pessimism. Vice, hypocrisy, venality and wantonness pass out triumphant, leaving virtue, truth, constancy and innocence overwhelmed in such measureless misery that one doubts if the author himself sees a solution of the hideous social problem he presents.

This problem he creates from an abnormal phase of social life in Sweden and Norway, and has no universal application, save for the lesson that the sins of the fathers are visited on the sons and that the punishment for wickedness falls oftener and harder on the innocent than the guilty.

"Ghosts" is well named. Phantoms

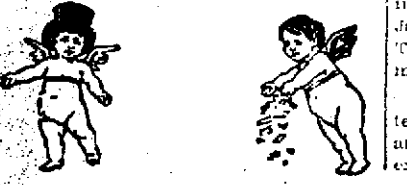


Slip Cupid's smiles,
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Ne'er can rule
Men's stubborn hearts,
Or cause the erring
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And magic power,
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rise in every act and stalk and gibber through every scene, grimace over every shoulder and preside at every feast. They are all spectres of depravity. They all gather like vultures at a feast around the stricken mother and her son on whom the blight of congenital idiosyncrasy, the fruit of paternal profligacy, has suddenly fallen. The play is without action; there is no swift movement or changing of scenes. The settings are the same in every act; the same people are always present and the topic of discussion is ever the same. There is no plot.

All the groundwork—the action of amorous intrigue—has been laid in the past, and we only see the finale worked out to an awful climax by spoken words. There is a fire, but it is out of sight and as unreal as the sinister shades that haunt the scenes. It is all horrible mockery, a frightful satire on the human race, on the conventions of society, on the standard of morality and religious duty man has created for his own government. Dean Swift never conceived anything more repulsive nor poured the product of his splendid genius in such scalding contempt upon his species. The burning of the orphanage, erected as a memorial to a man whose life was a fraud and whose existence was a curse to all with whom he came into contact, is made to serve in harmony with everything else in the piece.

The misshapen rascal who fires the building lays his crime at the door of the narrow, formal, hypocritical minister, a slave of convention, who cuts his morals, prayers and ideas of duty by rule, and exposes him as a mere husk of a man without soul, sympathy or integrity of character.

It took one fraud to penetrate the disguise of another. Jacob Engstrand alone knew Pastor Manders to be a humbug, a lay figure all lathe and plaster, without warmth enough to love or passion enough to be tempted to sin after the flesh.

Only five characters appear in "Ghosts"—if we except the shadows—Mrs. Alving, widow of Captain Alving, chamberlain to the King; Oswald, her son, an artist; Pastor Manders, a Lutheran minister; Jacob Engstrand, a crooked scoundrel of a carpenter; and Regina Engstrand, Jacob's reputed daughter, really the child of Captain Alving and the half-sister of Oswald, who is in love with her. Regina's mother had been Mrs. Alving's maid, as Regina is at the opening of the play, and thus father and son are captivated by mother and daughter. It is a nasty situation.

The marriage tie is struck at by every device of suggestion, insinuation and situation, and is scathingly repudiated in the dialogue. Ibsen, with subtle irony, presents Pastor Manders and Jacob Engstrand as its only defenders. The only two good people in the play are made its victims and contemners.

To the girl Regina it is a mere matter of social observance, of convenience, and she deliberately decides, after the exposure of their relationship and the

A CALIFORNIAN VIEW OF SPAIN.

JEROME HART'S NEW BOOK OF TRAVEL IN THE IBERIAN PENINSULA.

Not every literary gent on his travels is an agreeable companion—even in books. Few are content to tell us what they see, and let the rest go hang. Of the few is Mr. Jerome Hart of the Argonaut, who sees observantly and describes intelligently, not to say gracefully.

His latest book is a felicitous description of wanderings in the Iberian peninsula. In a handsome cover inscribed "Two Argonauts in Spain," it is printed in San Francisco, in large fat type and on heavy white paper. It is good reading both in the literary and the literal sense. One finds it charming to go through it at intervals, by easy stages as it were—in reading such books you want to stop and linger occasionally before picking up your traps mentally to go on again. You should no more read a genuine book of travel in a hurry than he read a sight-seer should permit himself to be expressed for a journey as a Cook's tourist. Mr. Hart travels in surety as he comes a gentleman of taste and letters. He writes leisurely. He should be read leisurely. Taken in this way, the record of observations and experiences contained in "Two Argonauts in Spain" is a pleasing volume to peruse. It is instructive, too, but only in the subjective sense, for the author is neither preacher nor historian. He does not concern himself with the politics, morals, religion or history of the Spanish people, nor does he seek to show how much better we Americans are than they. No journeying sordid sticks closer to what comes under his immediate observation than Mr. Hart. Not even Thackeray in the accounts of his trips to Egypt and Ireland.

Mr. Hart's style is easy and graceful. Much that he writes is in a tone of quiet reprieve, but his humor is rather whimsical than satirical or broadly comic. He addresses himself to the cultivated reader with many asides to the man with a stomach and a knowledge of how that organ should be treated. His comparisons are always the comparisons of a traveler—comparison of the things he sees in one place with collateral things he has seen in other places. No better bit of his felicitous method is to be found than the comparison between Naples and Barcelona. Incidentally he gives us a good deal of valuable information about Barcelona and its inhabitants.

One will look in vain in the pages of this volume for any guide-book flattery, for reminiscences of Baedeker or Murray, and the concise stereotyped description of the principal points of interest in each locality. Of scenery Mr. Hart only gives us fleeting glimpses. He does not describe the manners and customs of the Spaniards, but he tells us how the people whom he met looked, talked and acted; the ways of innkeepers, and the headgear of the women. The only place he moralizes is where he ascribes degeneracy in Spain to be excessive use of tobacco.

Any person who desires to visit Spain will do well to read this book. Those who contemplate no such journey—or lack the means and leisure to make it—will find it entertaining and instructive. As the author says, it is only the record of passing observations, but for that very reason it is far more valuable than more pretentious and philosophical works. It is not every traveler who can give us pleasing pictures of what falls under his eye or touches the vagrant fancy during a vacation tour. Mr. Hart has this happy faculty.

Fuddy—I never consider it safe to judge by surface indications.
Duddy—No, you can't tell by the skin what is inside the sausage.—Boston Transcript.

THIS WEEK'S NEWS LETTER.

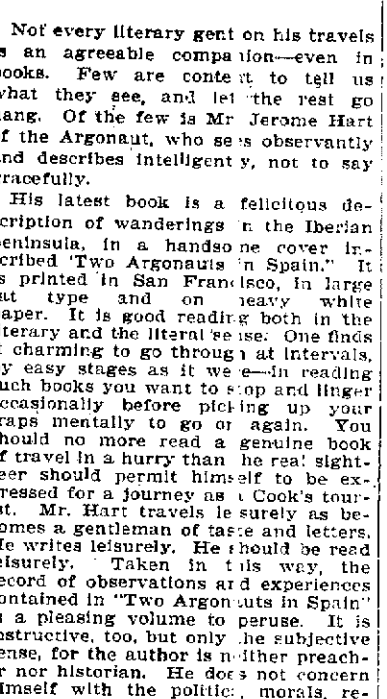
The News Letter this week is a bright and sparkling number. There is an editorial on the action of the Har-ferry news stand that should make the proponents of despotism in office blush with shame. The Fogarty case and Mayor Schmitz are handled with out gloves. The "Undergraduate" tells some startling Stanford stories. The political situation is rapidly handled. State and city, by special articles, "Moves and Countermoves," and by "The Looker On." Society is cleverly written up and the dramatic section is a critical resume of events. All in all, the San Francisco News Letter is of great general interest.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk today:
Emanuel Grant, Berkeley 80
Maria Hare, Oakland 81
James O'Reilly, San Francisco 81
Louisa Coleson, San Francisco 82
Stanley S. Purdy, Bakersfield 84
Jessie B. Harrell, Oakland 24

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LETTER

Citizens' Alliance of San Francisco Will Be a Strong Institution.

How the Organization Will Plan Its Work--Labor Unions.

[Special to THE TRIBUNE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, January 9.—Those who are inclined to regard the Citizens' Alliance as a sort of myth or theory would quickly lose that idea if they could get access to the list of members. Starting out with a couple of dozen it has jumped by leaps and bounds from the hundreds far into the thousands and at the present time the roster shows a total of 11,000 names with fully as many more prospective recruits in sight.

The Alliance is not only established but it is hard at work, as those who have run counter to its plans can attest. But little of its development is noted in the San Francisco dailies for the reason that they have a vital interest in the outcome and are fearful of making a bad move in one direction or the other. To the initiated, though it is known that some of the best news stories of the day are being suppressed for this reason, as for example the one that occurred this week regarding the stable-keepers.

About a year ago the Liverymen's Union became very exacting. In addition to demanding and securing increased pay for the stablemen, it succeeded in establishing a number of very remarkable rules, such as that all carriages reaching the stables after 7 p. m. should be cared for by the proprietors themselves, that only certain buggy washing would be done and that the handling of litter would have to be transferred to another set of employees.

The stable owners, feeling that they had been subjected to unusual treatment, appealed to the Citizens' Alliance to place their grievance at the head of the list which was done and the matter taken up a few days ago. The first move directed by the managers of the Alliance was the formation of a stable-keepers' union, the object being to dictate to the workmen instead of having the workmen

direct the employers. A plan of action was mapped out to bring the union men to time and it was agreed that each stable owner should deposit \$100 as a forfeit in the event that he disobeyed any of the mandates of the Alliance.

The lists were circulated and all joined but three. Arguments seemed to be wasted upon them, for no matter how their points were met they stubbornly refused to join hands in the attempt to present a solid, unbroken front to the workmen.

CALLED TO TIME.

Here was a situation that demanded drastic action and it was soon forthcoming. At 1 o'clock in the afternoon the managers of the Alliance started in to whip the three recalcitrants into line. One was on hand with his \$100 penalty by 2:30 o'clock, the second at 3 and the third and last by 4 p. m., three hours after the commencement of operations. This is how it was accomplished.

A few minutes after the Alliance managers started their crusade the telephone began to ring at the three stables in question.

"Who is it?" the liveryman would ask.

"This is Mr. X, or the So-and-So firm. Get my rigs in shape, please, I am going to move them from your stable this afternoon."

"Why, has anything gone wrong?"

"Guess you ought to know."

As one after the other of their patrons began to withdraw their rigs in this fashion the three stable owners quickly got attacks of cold feet, and as it did not take them long to realize what was in the wind, it is not surprising that that same afternoon found them all anxious and willing participants in the new movement.

MANY MOVES PLANNED.

This is but a sample of what is going to be done all along the line as soon as the Alliance is in complete working order.

der. At present it is only beginning to get upon its feet, but within the next month everything will be ready for an onslaught upon the unions that it is believed will cripple them so effectively that they will practically have to go out of business.

The methods of the Alliance are relentless, at least they have been so in other cities, and as the same engineers are in charge here it is to be presumed that like tactics will be followed. A storekeeper who displays a union card will be boycotted by all the business men. They will not only not trade with him, but they will not sell him goods; so, perforce, when his stock is exhausted he must close his doors. This condition of affairs would not be possible unless all the wholesalers belonged to the Alliance, but it is claimed that there need be no apprehension upon that score for the reason that every merchant is directly interested in placing his heel upon the steadily increasing demands of unionism.

In like manner a barber shop that displays a union card will not be patronized; restaurants relying upon being union concerns will have to draw their custom entirely from union men; goods bearing the union label will not be purchased and the stores carrying them will not be supplied by wholesalers and commission men. In short, the Citizens' Union is to be a far more exacting institution than that of the workmen has been.

But all this will not affect the rank and file of the unions, it may be argued. Reflection shows that it will, and that a veritable heart blow will be struck. If storekeepers find that union made goods are a detriment to their business they will not purchase them—the demand will accordingly cease and the creation of supplies stop. On the other hand, the demand for non-union made articles will increase proportionately, thus creating a demand for non-union labor and eventually disrupting the various trades organizations.

As a last resort the Citizens' Alliance is said to have adopted in some places the extreme measure of attacking the union man in his home. Property-owners naturally enough form the backbone of the Alliance and the method established in this: The unions make a demand for higher wages. It is granted and simultane-

ously the rents of the houses occupied by the union men are also proportionately increased. Another device, upon which the union men suddenly discover that he is gaining nothing with his advanced wages and, in fact, better off under the old system. This rent-raising proposition is only possible when the Alliance is modeled upon its highest basis, but those who are managing it here say they will have it on that plane in San Francisco if necessary occasions it.

NEWSPAPERS INVOLVED.

In Denver the Alliance is said to have been established upon so firm a basis that the unions there have been almost stamped out of existence, and judging by what is said at the headquarters here there will be some surprising moves made in San Francisco very soon. The newspapers that support the unions are to be marked out for general slaughter, the arrangement being that all the business men will enter into a compact to withdraw their advertising from the organs that cater to the unions. A move of this kind and the outcome is easy to guess—the unions will find every newspaper turned against them.

In this connection there is an interesting newspaper story to tell. As everyone knows, the Los Angeles Examiner was started for the purpose of building up the unions there and to make an onslaught upon the strength of that had been so long and so successfully resisted the demands of the international Typographical Union. Every thing started up in good shape, the union were lauding Mr. Hearst and his paper to the skies, the inference being that they would stand by him to the end upon any proposition he might want.

With this preliminary condition of affairs in mind, no one could hardly credit what has happened. One of the most effective weapons in the hands of the Los Angeles Examiner was that it was able to give the Times battle upon the Sunday supplement proposition. While the Times had to go to great expense each week in the preparation of a supplement, the Examiner secured its special features for nothing, the matrices being shipped

from New York, where they represented work of the high-priced writers and artists employed by the Hearst papers there.

The unions, though, have now demanded that the Examiner Sunday supplements be prepared in Los Angeles or else that they be credited weekly with the value of the mechanical work represented therein. This demand from the wage-earners came as a shock to Mr. Hearst, for had it not been for his bounteous liberality and enterprise the paper would never have appeared there at all. Furthermore, it was started in the interests of those now assailing it. The outcome of the matter has not yet been attained, for an appeal has been taken to the National Council of the labor unions and pending decision everything will remain in abeyance. Incidentally, it may be remarked that the San Francisco papers have been served with similar notices as regards their comic Sunday supplements and as they do not propose to increase their operating expenses that way the humorous supplements are to be stopped.

THE LABOR GATHERING.

Apart from all this Alliance business and newspaper troubles the union situation is changing somewhat in its political aspect. The action this week of the State Labor Convention in declining to co-operate politically with the San Francisco labor machine is very significant, for it shows that the first attempt to organize California on a labor-political basis has failed. This strikes a body blow at Mayor Schmitz' hope to secure State dominance and thus lay a strong foundation for his future candidacy for Governor and indicates too that the effort to destroy the Republican majority in the next legislature is about to fail.

In San Francisco, however, the program outlined by Ruef and Schmitz will be carried out if possible. Although hesitating about tackling every district in town, Ruef will try to secure control of affairs in a number of them, and as the Republican leaders are going to match swords with him in that regard there will probably be a decisive battle fought this spring. It will come up over the election of delegates to the State

Convention that is to select delegates to the National Convention, for as Ruef aspires to go to the great gathering at Chicago he will make his essay in the Fourth District. That he will be fought is equally certain, for some of those associated with him in the League work last year are pronounced in their declarations that they will oppose his ambitions.

George Knight is going to be a candidate for delegate-at-large and as the names of M. H. De Young and John D. Spreckels are mentioned in like regard, one of the three will have to give way unless a combination is made that only allows one of the four coveted places to the South.

In the various Congressional districts, many candidates have been announced and unless a number of withdrawals occur in the next two or three months, there will be some spirited contests when the convention assemblies at Sacramento. Those who at first thought that everything was cut-and-dried for Roosevelt are beginning to think that there may be a fight there after all, as the added desirability of being a delegate has brought out aspirants in nearly every part of the State.

A GENERAL SHAKE-UP.

As a matter of fact there has been a revival of all things political with the opening of the New Year. There are eight Congressmen to be elected this fall and as the Republicans want to win back the three districts they lost in the last fight they are taking time by the forelock and are already at work. The appointment of Arthur Fisk as Postmaster apparently threw the Fifth District open to competition again, but somehow there seems to be more of a blockade of interests than before and the Congressional convention promises to be as lively as the eventful one a dozen years ago, when Leard won the nomination and inaugurated the long political career he enjoyed at Washington.

The other San Francisco district—the Fourth—hinges upon the outcome of the Kahn-Livermash contest at Washington, and as it seems likely that Kahn will get back to his old chair before the present week's visitors.

winter is over there will be a merry old fight between them when they come up against each other again this fall. Another, therefore, it can be seen that there are indications of stirring political times in San Francisco during the next few months.

HERE AND THERE.

Executive Commissioner W. H. Metson returned this week from his trip to Mexico.

Postmaster George Radcliff of Watsonville was in town during the week. He says the question of county division is again being agitated down his way and that there is a lot of sentiment on it, pro and con.

L. P. Branstetter, one of the Republican leaders of Pernaleto, Humboldt county, is passing a few days in this section.

Harbor Commissioner MacKenzie is preparing for another of his jaunts to Arizona.

Assemblyman Leininger is down from Trinity. He has recently sold out his stock ranch there and is figuring on a new business venture.

Coiner Dan Cole of the Mint, who has been quite sick for the past couple of weeks, is on his feet again.

Leutenant-Governor Alden Anderson is back from his trip to Chicago. He will continue making his business headquarters for the present at Sacramento, where he manages the affairs of the California Fruit Distributors.

Banker Warren Parker came up from Watsonville during the week.

Ex-Assemblyman H. S. Gans has been passing a few days in town with his bride. He left Wednesday for his home at Red Bluff.

Ex-Assemblyman Frank M. Rutherford paid a flying trip to town from Truckee during the week. He recently purchased a large store in his home town and was awarded the postmastership for his good work for the party.

Deputy Collector of Revenue William Strain of Tehama has been passing the holidays hereabouts.

H. M. Richardson, chairman of the Republican County Central Committee of Sacramento county, was among the week's visitors.

HATTON.

GRAND OPERA STARINEAST CLUB WOMEN TO CHANGES MADE BY POLICE BOARD HE IS IN SHIP SCANDAL.

MEET. POLICE BOARD. MEETS.

FEDERATION WILL HOLD ITS SESSION AT SACRAMENTO.

At the Federation of Women's Clubs, which will take place in Sacramento on February 9th, 10th, and 11th, in the Capitol building, Oakland club women will play a prominent part. Mrs. Kate Bulkley, past president of the California Federated Women's Clubs, is scheduled for an address of greeting. Miss M. R. Babson and Mrs. Sarah C. Borland will speak. A. H. Elliott and J. G. Lemmon, both of Oakland, have been asked to address the convention. "The Calaveras Big Trees" to be Mr. Lemmon's subject, while Mr. Elliott will speak on "A Uniform Divorce Law."

TO CONFER WITH CHIEF.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Directors of the Nationalist party have gone to confer with General Saravia, chief of the present revolutionary movement, in the hope that they can bring about a settlement. The Herald's correspondent at Montevideo, Uruguay.

The revolutionists insist most of all upon the withdrawal of troops stationed at Rivera, where there have been some encounters between the soldiers and insurgents, but without decisive results.

FRANK LYNCH, THE POPULAR PATROLMAN, IS MADE SERGEANT

As a result of action taken by the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners yesterday Police Sergeant Harry Green was reduced to the rank and Patrolman Frank Lynch promoted to the vacancy. The scheduled election of Patrolman E. C. Clark, who was formerly a police sergeant to a sergeant, did not take place as one of the Commissioners at the last moment asked for more time to consider his vote.

Patrolmen Timothy Flynn and Clark will be kept contenders for the position of day sergeant, which is now vacant.

According to the story which has gained credence, Green's resignation was asked for by Mayor Olney, who, in answer to queries as to why Green was removed, stated it was for the good of the department. There were no charges placed against the retired sergeant and none will be according to what the Commissioners say.

Other probable changes in the Police Department, aside from the promotion of Clark or Flynn, is the selection of a policeman to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Patrolman James Smith, and the punishment of Policeman Henderson, who filed to report the condition of a prisoner who was brought to the jail in an unconscious condition.

ROME, January 9.—Because of the threatening condition of the famous cathedral of Spoleto, regions of the walls of which fell in Tuesday last, the government has ordered the immediate work of the tombs of Fra. Filippo, Lippi and Orsini.

ROUTINE MATTERS HANDLED AT THE SESSION YESTERDAY.

At the meeting of the Police Commissioners yesterday permission was granted the Sequoia Athletic Club to hold a professional boxing contest on the night of January 26th.

The Reliance Athletic Club was granted permission to hold its boxing contest on the night of January 21st instead of the 19th.

A communication was received from Health Officer von Adelung stating that he had made an examination of Officer W. Tillotson and found there were some defects of the knees, but nothing which would incapacitate him from duty. In regard to the condition of Officer Carl E. Kentz, the Health Officer stated that the small bones of the officer's feet were breaking down, but as he failed to state whether or not the defects would prevent the officer from performing his duty, the secretary was instructed to communicate with the Health Officer on that point.

Chief of Police Hodgkins filed his report with the Commissioners showing that Kentz had been off duty for eleven days in December on account of illness.

The demands approved and allowed were twenty-seven, aggregating \$311.17, and one for salary amounting to \$45.16, all on the police fund. Twenty-four, aggregating \$170.33 on the fire fund, and seven, aggregating \$188.89, on the fire alarm and police telegraph fund.

The following requisitions were approved: Numbers 2421 to 2434 on the



George W. Perkins, who is J. P. Morgan's partner, is one of the remarkable products of the financial hot-house known as Wall street. If his veracity is not to be questioned as to the way business is transacted there, Wall street must have its shady side.

police fund, Nos. 3215 to 3217 on the fire fund, and Nos. 687 to 691 on the fire alarm and police telegraph fund.

DID NOT FIND SHIP.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 9.—The steamer Iroquois, which left Sydney at 7 o'clock to search for the missing steamer Clallam, which broke down four miles southeast of Clover Point, when en route here from Seattle, returned at 11 o'clock last night. She reported having cruised along the shores of San Francisco and Smith's island and in that vicinity through heavy seas, but saw no sign of the Clallam. One tug was sighted but too far away to speak.

Captain Sears believes one of the tugs sent from Port Townsend has picked up the steamer and is towing her there. The steamer when last seen was running before the southwest wind under her jib towards San Juan.

TELLER CHARGED WITH THEFT.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Frederick J. Voss, receiving teller of the Dollar Savings Bank of the Bronx, who is charged with grand larceny. Voss disappeared December 8th. The bank's president says an examination of the books has thus far shown a shortage of \$200, but the indemnity companies on his bond for \$10,000 have taken up the hunt for the missing man. The bank is not affected.

SCRANTON RESIGNS.

NEW YORK, January 9.—It has just become known that Walter Scranton, president of the \$60,000,000 Lackawanna Steel Company, recently resigned the position which he held for so many years.

says the Herald. He retains the chairmanship of the Board of directors. His successor has not yet been chosen for the presidency, but it is understood that D. O. Mills and H. McK. Twombly are now making an active part in the administration of the financial affairs of the company. Mr. Scranton has directed the affairs of the company since it began to develop from the original plant at Scranton, Pa., and retired because of a desire to rest in his declining years. The works are now located at West Seneca, in Buffalo, and are recognized as comprising the largest individual steel and iron plant in the world.

COMMISSION TO MEET.

ST. JOHN, N. B., January 9.—John Bertram, Robert Reford and E. C. Fry, the commissioners appointed by the government to inquire into the transportation facilities of Canada and American competition, will hold their first session today. C. N. Bell, secretary of the commission, said:

"The broad underlying principle of the commission is that we have competitors carrying our goods and it is before the commission to find out why our competitors are carrying our goods and how much they do carry; with what facilities our competitors are equipped and what there is for us to do to meet this competition."

The competitors referred to are American railways and particularly the ports of Boston and Portland, Me.

The inquiry will extend from the Atlantic to the Pacific and occupy probably two years.



GERTRUDE RENNYSON.

A great revival of Italian grand opera, rendered in English, has captured New York. Prominent among the cantatrices is Miss Gertrude Rennyson, whose "Desdemona" seems to indicate for her an eminent career.

JUDGE GREENE WANTS FACTS.

According to Judge Greene it behooves an administrator attempting to sell property under his appointment to know the value of the property he is attempting to dispose of.

H. W. Leveridge was before him this morning with a petition to be allowed to sell the personal property belonging to his wife's estate. In the list of things to be sold were articles of feminine wearing apparel, lingerie, corsets, and several rings. Leveridge is willing to sell the lot for \$125.

The rings contained a diamond or two and several rubies and when the Judge asked whether any one would bid any higher Rod Church sent the bid up to \$137.

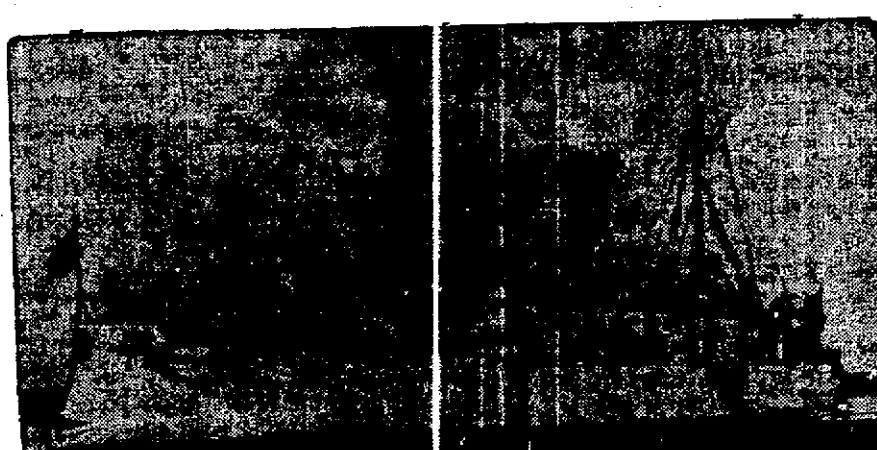
"Are these diamonds real?" asked the Judge looking at the rings.

Leveridge admitted his ignorance.

LIBRARY PRESENTED TO CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, January 9.—The Blackstone Memorial Library has been formally presented to the Chicago Library Board by Mrs. T. B. Blackstone, the donor. The building is of Ionic architecture, 110 feet long and 60 feet wide, and stands at Lake avenue and Forty-ninth street. The book stacks are of sufficient capacity to hold 30,000 volumes. The building, which cost \$250,000 is given as a memorial to the late T. B. Blackstone, former president of the Chicago Alton Railway.

OLYMPIA IS ORDERED TO THE ISTHMUS.



FLAGSHIP OLYMPIA.

The Olympia, on which Dewey made his famous record at Manila, will have a leading part to play in the war with Colombia if such a contingency occurs.

NEWS FROM BERKELEY AND THE STATE UNIVERSITY

GREAT ACTIVITY BOARD MAY NOT BE ABLE CHURCH IS READY PARDEE INTERCEDES FOR WOUNDED YOUTH IN BUILDING, TO LEASE LAND. TO BUILD. STUDENT SOLDIERS. RECOVERING.

WORK IS NOW IN FULL SWING AFTER THE HOLIDAYS.

BERKELEY, January 9.—Now that the holidays are over building operations are being renewed with increased activity. In every part of the town the sound of the hammer and saw is heard and the indications are that this coming spring will be an unusually busy one.

SOUTH END HOUSE.
Joseph J. Mason of Berkeley has awarded to H. P. Nelson a contract for the erection of a two-story frame dwelling on the northeast corner of Mason and Harper streets. Cost, \$1,000.

TWO-STORY HOME AT ASHBY.
Contractor J. McKinnon is erecting a two-story frame dwelling for H. J. Keen at Ashby avenue and Wheeler street, Berkeley. The cost will be about \$2,000. The plumbing is being done by L. Hawes.

EAST END DWELLING.
J. C. Fitzpatrick has granted to Pearson a contract for the construction of a two-story and basement frame dwelling on the south side of Kittling street, east of Shattuck avenue. William H. Whelan is the architect. The contract price is \$1,050.

SORENSEN IS BUSY.
Walter Sorensen has secured a contract to build a two-story frame dwelling for Flora R. Thomas on the west side of Harper street, north of Ashby avenue, Berkeley, at a cost of \$1,525. The plans are by Charles H. Thomas.

WEEK OF MEETINGS WILL BE CONDUCTED.

BERKELEY, January 9.—A fellowship meeting is to be held in the North Berkeley Congregational Church, beginning tomorrow night and closing Sunday evening, January 10. Rev. W. S. Speer of the Second Congregational Church of Oakland will speak each evening, as well as one Congregational minister from the churches about the city.

The annual supper of the church will be held on Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock.

PRAYER TO GIVE LECTURE ON CHINESE DRAMA.

BERKELEY, Jan. 9.—Professor John Fryer of the University of California will speak on the "Chinese Drama" at the monthly meeting of the Men's League of the First Presbyterian Church, to be held next Monday night in the parlors of the church.

Obnoxious Ten-year Clause is Found By Clerk Who Looks Up the Law.

BERKELEY, January 9.—A small point of law may prevent the Board of Education from leasing its Center-street frontage for a period of twenty years as was decided on at the last regular meeting of the Board. Although Town Clerk Clarence S. Merrill was instructed to advertise for bids for the leasing of the property, he has postponed action in the matter until he can obtain a legal opinion from Town Attorney Hayne, who is at present confined to his home through illness.

"The fact was called to my attention," said Clerk Merrill, "that the Board of Education may only be allowed to lease the land it owns on Center street for a period of ten years instead of twenty as was originally proposed. It will not advertise for bids until that point is settled, as none would want to put up a fire-proof building for a decade only."

"I have consulted with a number of legal authorities and they are all of the opinion that the lease cannot be granted for a period of more than ten years. Nothing will be done, however, until I receive a definite opinion from Town Attorney Hayne."

The property owned by the Board of Education is situated on the south side of Center street and has a frontage of 182 feet. It is among the most valuable property in the city and will be a twenty-year lease could be granted. As the Board of Education is pressed for money there is a probability that the land may be placed on the open market should the proposed school bonds fail to carry.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH ENGAGES AN ARCHITECT TO DRAV PLANS.

BERKELEY, January 9.—At a meeting of the official board of the Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church this week, Rev. C. K. Jenness, the pastor of the church was authorized to appoint a church building committee. John G. Howard, the supervising architect of the University of California was authorized to commence work on plans for a new stone edifice to be erected at the southeast corner of Alston Way and Fulton street.

The cost of the new house of worship will be at least \$50,000 and the members of the congregation have been at work for the past year raising the nucleus of this sum.

The present church building will be removed from the corner of the grounds and placed to face Alston Way while the parsonage will be moved to a newly purchased lot adjoining the church on the south.

University Cadets Will Not Have to Drill in the Afternoon As Was Planned.

BERKELEY, January 9.—Just as the men students of the University of California are beginning to return for their spring term expecting to take their military drills in the afternoon instead of the morning, according to the recent edict of the schedule committee of the academic council the order comes from President Wheeler that there will be no change in the military drill this term. According to the head of the University he deemed it undesirable to change the schedule at the present time as it would complicate matters to a great degree during the next few months of University work. It was the intervention of Governor Pardee that finally brought about the decision to retain the old drill hour. He stepped into the hot controversy that was being waged by a faculty that was divided on the subject and decided that the drill hour would remain as it had been in the past.

When it was announced a short time ago that the drill hour would be held

C. M. ALLSEITS IS IMPROVING WHILE OTTO SIMON READS IN JAIL.

BERKELEY, Jan. 9.—There is no change for the worse in the condition of Charles M. Allseits, the young man who was shot on New Year's morning by his companion, Otto Simon, and now looks as though the wounded man has strong chances of recovering. The wound in Allseits' breast has commenced to heal and he is resting comfortably.

In the meantime Simon remains at the county jail with no charge against him. The prisoner is becoming exceedingly morose, only brightening up when some of his relatives come to see him and bring a fresh supply of reading matter. He is an incessant reader and has very little to do with the other prisoners.

STUDENT EDITORS ORGANIZE A TRUST.

BERKELEY, January 9.—When the students return to the University of California to enter upon the spring vacation they will be surprised to learn that the student newspaper and magazine trust has decided to raise prices.

At the opening of college last term it was announced that the Californian, the Occident and the University Magazine could be had by the students at a club rate. It has now been announced that owing to the extra cost of production the subscription price of the Californian will be raised. This is regarded as very startling since the students were firmly of the opinion that the price would be reduced this term. How the action of the college newspaper trust will be received is now a widely discussed topic on the campus.

The first issues of the college papers will appear on Monday, and at that time the new schedule of the editors will go into effect.

CADETS WILL WITNESS A DRILL IN OAKLAND.

BERKELEY, January 9.—The Junior Cadets of Berkeley have accepted an invitation to witness Company A, Veterans Reserve, National Guard of California, drill at their armory in Oakland next Wednesday night. The young soldiers will be chaperoned by Mrs. George Vincent.

PIONEER RESIDENT HAS PASSED AWAY.

BERKELEY, January 9.—John Crawford who has been a resident of Berkeley for a number of years, passed away at his home, 2435 Piedmont avenue, at the age of 71 years. He was a native of Belth Arghshire, Scotland. He was the husband of Eliza S. Crawford and father of Edward J. Eliza L. Edith F., Caroline J., and Charles John Crawford.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

RETURN TO REPORT ON SURVEYING SITE.

BERKELEY, January 9.—Edward N. Prouty, assistant professor of railroad engineering and Conrad Loring, instructor in civil engineering at the University of California have returned to report on the proposed location of a summer school surveying site at Santa Cruz. The camp will be opened in May and it is expected that between 100 and 150 students will attend the school.

The land selected for the surveys is about six miles out of Santa Cruz.

STUDENTS COMING BACK TO COLLEGE.

BERKELEY, Jan. 9.—A. A. Washburn of Wawona, has come to Berkeley and is located at 2605 Duran avenue.

Mrs. Rebecca Jackson, of 1933 Bancroft way, has moved to San Francisco.

Mrs. Belle Wheeler, who has moved from 210 Dwight way to 202 Balboa street.

Cleave Dunn and J. F. Waters have returned from a vacation trip.

J. L. Simpson, the Center street haberdasher, is in the city.

Mrs. J. W. Farrell has departed for a month's visit with her parents at Tacoma.

Dennis Haggerty, a former resident of Berkeley, was a visitor in Berkeley today.

Miss Verena Jennings of Amador county has returned to Berkeley to resume her studies at Snell Seminary.

King Sweegy, who has been visiting his father, Mr. Wessley, at San Bernardino, has returned to Berkeley.

Judge and Mrs. Weston Gray and their daughter, Miss E. A. Gray, are visiting friends near Visalia.

Morley Maddox has returned from Visalia, where he had been visiting his parents. He will resume his studies at the University.

READY TO COMMENCE WORK ON THE LIBRARY.

BERKELEY, Jan. 9.—The excavations for the foundation of the Carnegie Library to be erected on Shattuck avenue and Kittredge street have been completed and the work of putting in the concrete foundation will be commenced tomorrow.

As soon as the foundation is put in place the corner-stone will be laid by the founders of the first public library in Berkeley.

NEW RAILROAD DEAL.

PORTLAND, Ore., January 9.—The question of trackage arrangements by which the Northern Pacific may run trains from Eastern Washington over the Oregon Railroad and Navigation line into Portland and the Oregon Railway and Navigation run over the Northern Pacific to Seattle and Tacoma seems to have reached the point where both parties are willing to make a deal, but cannot agree on terms. When President Mellen of the Northern Pacific was in Portland over a year ago he said that his company was quite willing

and there is no reason to believe that the policy has changed since Mr. Elliott became president. Mr. Hartman has expressed the same disposition on the part of the Oregon Railway and Navigation but the statement of President Mellen of the O. R. & N. since his return from the East indicates that progress has been made. Under the suggested scheme the Northern Pacific would escape the heavy haul over the Cascade Mountains and on the other hand the Oregon Railway and Navigation would be able to haul freight and passengers through to the Sound without breaking bulk or changing cars. It is probable that each party to the deal maintains that what it has to offer is worth more than it would receive, so that they find it impossible to get together.

INSURANCE GOES UP.

NEW YORK, January 9.—Rates for insuring war risks on cargoes are generally higher and the insurance is harder to place, says a time dispatch from London.

The bulk of actual business consists in insuring general cargo, but the steamship companies are anxious to obtain a third power being drawn into the Far Eastern quarrel.

HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, EMERYVILLE, FRUITVALE, GOLDEN GATE

CLUB MEETS NEXT TUESDAY.

GOOD GOVERNMENT CLUB OF HAYWARDS PLAN A DEBATE.

HAYWARDS, Jan. 9.—The Good Government Club of Hayward is doing very effective work. The club will hold a meeting next Tuesday night when the question of "Social relation of man" will be discussed. The discussion will be opened by Dr. G. W. Lyons and the Rev. B. Dent Naylor, pastor of the First Congregational Church of Hayward. Dr. Annie Williams, Dr. D. D. Dods and J. C. Bay will also address the club.

In conjunction with the debate there will be a literary program, comprised of recitations and papers on various vital political questions of the day.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORS.

The Christian Endeavors of Hayward are prospering and give promise to be one of the best religious organizations in Alameda county. There are two societies in town at present, and each one has a large attendance. The Christian Endeavors belonging to the Congregational Church have formed a junior society of Endeavors that is under the guidance of Mrs. B. Dent Naylor. The Presbyterian order elected the following officers last Wednesday evening: President, Miss Margaret Scott; vice-president, Miss Rose Hatch; corresponding secretary, Miss Grace Kretzinger; recording secretary, Jerome Gray, son of George Gray, county administrator.

SCHOOL OPENING.

There is a large force of carpenters at work on the Castro Valley School. Two teams are kept busy excavating and grading.

FARMERS MEET.

A banquet was held after the installation in the Hayward Hotel. The installing past master, E. T. Muson, will be presented with a handsome past master's sword. H. M. Branner, with his usual wit and good taste, will preside as toastmaster.

SOLD RANCH.

Charles Looney sold his ranch, the old P. E. Brown ranch, to a stockman for \$12,000. Looney is returning to his old home in Albany, New York, where he intends studying for the Congregational ministry. His many friends in Hayward wish him worlds of success in his new field.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Frank Lewis, whose little daughter, Thursday, is very low with typhoid pneumonia, is recovering from his illness.

Miss Mary Hamilton was shopping in town yesterday.

Judge C. Prowse was in San Francisco yesterday on business.

Miss Mary Hamilton has returned to Berkeley, where he is doing post-graduate work in law in the University of California.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following letters are uncalled for at the Hayward postoffice: Victoria Alexander, Mrs. Dick Dehaven, Mrs. C. C. Echlin, Manuel Jose, Freitas (2), J. Hanson, Miss Kathryn Toedt, Rev. C. J. Nielson (2), Michael O'Connell, John Antonio Oliveira, Mrs. Ernest, Mrs. Nellie, Parata, Marcelino Da Rosa, Antonio Pazoto de Souza, Mrs. Julia M. Van Cline, Jacinto Jose Vieira.

PROPERTY TO BE SOLD.

NEW YORK, January 9.—Property in the residence district of this city owned by Columbia University and valued at \$10,000,000 is to be sold. Handsome residences now cover the land, which is bounded by Forty-seventh and Fifty-first streets and Fifth and Sixth avenues, was bought in 1801 by Dr. Hoesack, a professor in the medical school for the purpose of establishing a botanical garden. The site was then four miles out of the city and Columbia College was in old College Place. In 1814 the State purchased it and gave it to the college. For many years the property has formed one of the university's largest sources of income.

OFFICERS WERE INSTALLED.

ELMHURST CIRCLE COMPANIONS, F. OF A. START NEW YEAR.

ELMHURST, January 9.—The Elmhurst Circle, No. 490, Companions of Forest of America, installed the following officers last Wednesday night: Junior past chief companion, Miss Lucy Field; chief companion, Mrs. C. A. Alvord; sub-chief companion, Mrs. R. S. Shelley; financial secretary, Charles S. Blood; recording secretary, Miss Jean Wallace; inner guard, Mrs. Rose Walker; trustee for one year, Frank Storor. The installing of officers was presided over by Grand Chief Companion Miss Agnes D. Bremner.

Supper was served later in the evening in Red Men's Hall and was well prepared.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. H. Layaz is visiting friends in Sacramento.

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A VANDERBILT FOR CONGRESS.

NEW YORK, January 9.—Cornelius Vanderbilt will probably be chosen the Republican candidate for Congress from the Thirteenth district for next fall's election. The district leaders have decided to offer him the nomination and that now remains to make Mr. Vanderbilt the candidate is his acceptance when the nomination is tendered. The leaders begin to feel that at that point is that the young millionaire may not care to fight Francis Burton Harrison, who is now the Democratic representative of the district. They roomed together at Yale and are the closest of friends. The district is nominally Republican.

304,000 BABIES.

Under three years, died during the census year 1900, most of them due to teething, and because of mothers not knowing what to do. Slow teething is due to lack of home material, rest, sweating, fever, diarrhoea, brain troubles, convulsions. When baby begins to sweat, worry or sleep in deep don't wait for convulsions. A little TEETHING FOOD with its daily milk, gives the needed bone material. They begin to improve in 24 hours and no more trouble. Has saved thousands. Physicians use it.

2124 Washington st., San Francisco— "Am prescribing your teething food. In scores of cases it has not failed to check the trouble. Several severe cases of teething would have been fatal without it. It is a positive necessity." L. C. Menzies.

Sweetman's Teething Food will carry baby safely through the dangerous period. It improves the bowels, soothes the trouble (enough for six weeks). Ask for literature. Osgood Bros., Oakland agents.

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A PAGE OF PUZZLES FOR OLD AND YOUNG.

Fairy Tales Up to Date, By W. M. Goodes.
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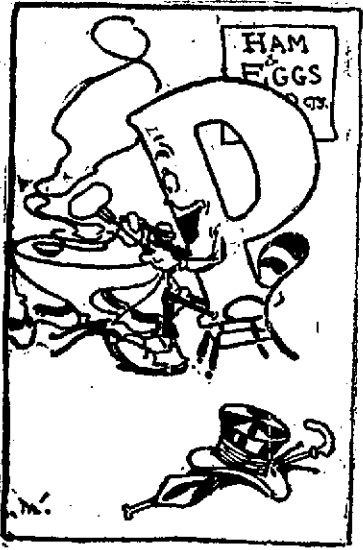
In this picture are objects illustrating the missing words, one being hidden. Can you supply the missing words, also find Cinderella's two sisters and the Prince whom she married?



In this column we print five of ten pictures, each representing the nickname of a boy. The first is Harry. Can you guess the others?



One.



Two.



Three.



Four.



Five.

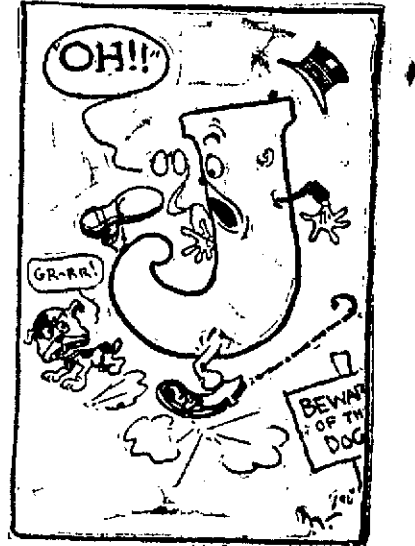
Following are the other five pictures, representing nicknames of boys. Answers of the ten will be published next week.



Six.



Seven.



Eight.



Nine.



Ten.

Once upon a time there was a little girl whose father, a widower, married a second time. His second wife had two haughty daughters who made their step-sister's life so miserable that she used to hide herself among the cinders on the hearth to escape their cruel treatment, and so by and by they came to call her Cinderella, and she was known by that name. She was of an unusually sweet disposition, and it was her constant delight to be doing good to others. One day

while she hid in the cinders the servants brought in an old lady who had been caught in the rain, and they sat her down beside the hearth to dry her clothes and eat some porridge. On seeing Cinderella among the cinders she was shocked, and would have sympathized with her, but Cinderella was so ashamed of her miserable condition that she fled from the house and hid herself in a

She had been there but a short

time when she was startled by a proclamation that the would give his son in marriage to anybody in the land who could wear a glass slipper which he possessed. The had hardly passed when the old lady who had followed Cinderella to the told her not to be alarmed, that she was her godmother. Upon hearing this Cinderella threw herself upon her godmother's breast and wept bitterly, while the old lady passed her hand back and forth over Cinderella's and soon quieted her. Then she told Cinderella that she was a fairy, and, knowing all her troubles, had come to help her, so she passed her over Cinderella's, and instantly she was changed into a beautiful princess, magnificently attired, excepting that she was. Then she had her sit down on a while she brought from the half of a huge pumpkin shell which she used for a basin. Breaking a branch from the the sap instantly began to flow. She filled the basin with sap and placed Cinde-

rella's in it. Removing the basin, she placed upon her silken stockings. Then she tapped the pumpkin shell with her and instantly it was changed into a magnificent coach, with horses and footmen. Then she bade Cinderella get in the coach, and off she was driven to the palace to test the magic slipper.

She arrived just in time to see her haughty step-sisters fail to get their into the glass slipper, and as all the fair ladies in the

land had failed it was now Cinderella's turn to try. Advancing, she modestly slipped her into the slipper, and thus she won the son for her husband.

After the wedding ceremonies were over the Prince told her that he had known and loved her for a long while, and had sent the fairy godmother for her to try on the glass slipper, knowing that, of all the ladies in the land, it would fit only her.

WM. M. GOODES.



THE SNAKE LEAVES.

A Prince married the daughter of a powerful King under the condition that he was to be buried with her should she die first. Upon her death the King ordered the Prince to the vault to die. A snake crawled in and he cut it in two with his sword. A second snake crawled in with some leaves and placed them on the wound of the dead snake and it came to life and crawled away. The Prince then took the magic leaves and placed them on the Princess and she came to life. They aroused the guards and were liberated.

Where is the King?

In the first of last week's puzzles, with the right side of the picture as base, the stonehenge is found in the roots of the tree.

SOLUTION OF THE PUZZLE OF ALA BABA AND THE FORTY THIEVES

The missing words of this puzzle are as follows: Dog, Tree, Lion, King and Alrship. By using the left side of the picture as base, the Robber Chief can be found in the lower left corner, at the branch of the tree; the Lieutenant can be found at the root of the tree, a little to the left of Ala Baba. The dog can also be found from this position being formed in the tree toward the left. By using the right side as base, Lion is found near the lower centre, also formed in a tree.

The articles found in a small boy's pockets, represented in last week's puzzles, are: No. 1, Shoe String; No. 2, Pencil; No. 3, Pen Knife; No. 4, Matches; No. 5, Fishing Line; No. 6, Jew's Harp; No. 7, Stone; No. 8, White; No. 9, Marble; No. 10, Bean Shoot.



THE IMP IN THE BOTTLE.

A wood-cutter's son found a bottle in which there was an imp who-cried to be liberated. Upon removing the cork the imp grew into a monstrous giant who threatened to kill the wood-cutter's son, declaring himself to be the mighty Mercury, saying: "He who sets me free must have his neck broken." "Wait!" said the wood-cutter's son, "first I must know that you are this great personage could you enter the bottle again?" "Certainly," replied the giant, and he crawled in. The wood-cutter's son replaced the cork and went his way.

In the second of last week's puzzles, by using the left side of the picture as base, the miller's son is found in front of the mill.

AMONG THE FUN-MAKERS

TOMMY THICKNUT AND MISS SHAKUM.

SAID TOMMY THICKNUT TO MISS SHAKUM, 'I LOVE ONLY YOU.



One.

SOMETIME WE'LL HAVE A LITTLE HOME JUST BIG ENOUGH FOR TWO.



Two.

THEN ANSWERED SWEET MISS SHAKUM - WITH JUST A TOUCH OF FUN.



Three.

'IF THAT'S THE LITTLE HOME YOU MEAN, 'TWOULD ONLY DO FOR ONE.'



Four.



"WHEN TWO GO SKATING."



AT THE MASQUERADE.

"He certainly does act strangely. There must be a screw loose about him somewhere."
"On the contrary, I think he's tight all over."

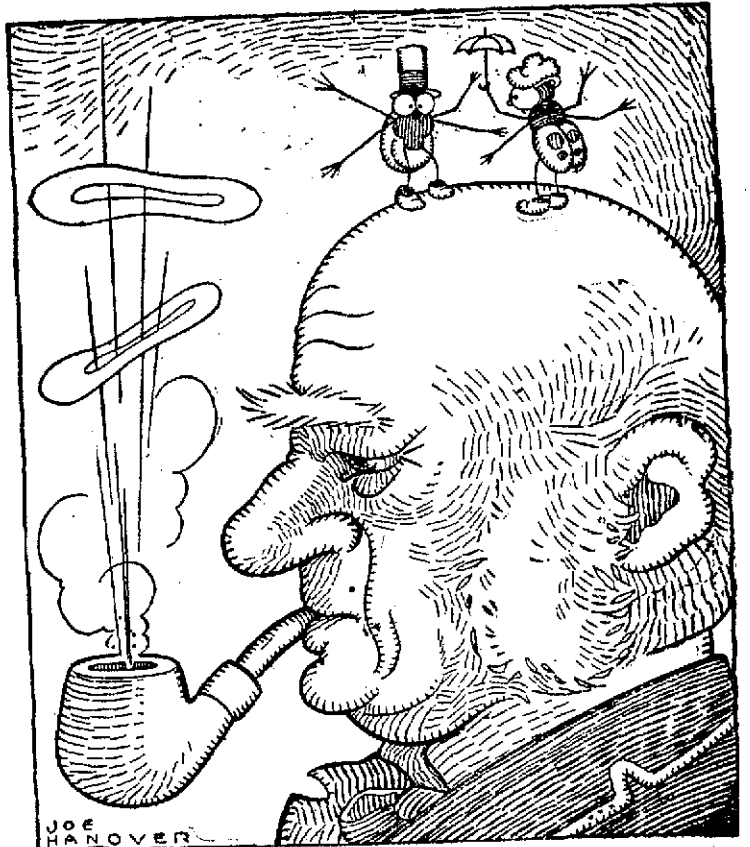


THE ONLY WAY.

Hiz—Did you have your baby's picture taken by a photographer?
Dix—No; by the man who runs the kinoscope.



ONE OF THE FIRST FAMILIES OF VIRGINIA.



JOE HANOVER

AN IMPENDING TRAGEDY.

Bug Lover—Fairnest Angelina, for the last time I ask you to be mine. Refuse, and I throw myself into the crater of yon fiery volcano.



A SAFE PROPOSITION.

"There is absolutely no risk in matrimony."
"How do you figure that out?"
"If things are unpleasant, you have the choice of either divorce or suicide."



"They say Bunkum is making out well with his obesity cure."
"Yes, he's literally living on the 'fat of the land!'"



HAD NO EXPERIENCE.

Fluttering Films—Who wrote dat poem "De Butiful Snow"?
Clement Cast-off—Some rich guy in a steam-heated flat, I reckon.



Find one of the funny little dwarfs whom Rip Van Winkle beheld on awaking.

MANY NEW BILLS OFFERED BY THE THEATERS.

Macdonough Theater Continues to Be a Popular Playhouse—New Novelty Has Many Attractions—San Francisco Playhouses.

A large cultured audience crowded the Macdonough last night to witness the dramatic sensation of the season. The effect of Ibsen's "Ghosts" upon the minds of the spectators was nothing short of marvellous. Upon some the influence was of a hypnotic nature causing auditors to sit spellbound, leaning forward and maintaining a tight grasp on the back of the seats in front. Female spectators were frequently moved to hysterics by the intensity of the scenes. Perhaps the most amusing occurrence was a remark of a young lady spectator during the run in New York City. It was during a very strong situation on the stage in which Pastor Wanders and Mrs. Alving were the chief actors. Mrs. Alving said to the pastor: "I feel almost like throwing my arms around your neck." The young lady spectator who had been brought up to a high pitch of excitement, exclaimed at this moment, "Oh, I wish she would." In an ordinary performance such an outcry would have been sufficient to ruin the effect of the scene but in this instance so engrossed were the spectators in the action of the play that only a few chuckles of merriment were heard. It will be repeated tonight for the last time.

HAPPY HOOLIGAN.

After all the melodramas, problem plays, tragedies and other attractions that we have been afflicted with of late, the coming of "Happy Hooligan" is one of the best face musical comedies ever put together. It will be a positive relief. Our theatregoers undoubtedly like melodrama, but when we are fed this class of attractions week in and week out, and have seen the triumph of virtue over vice repeated ad lib, in naturally years for a show in which mirth, merriment and beauty are combined. In other words they want to go to the theatre to laugh and not to cry. They want to feast their eyes on pretty girls and beautiful costumes. They want to have the humor trickled and their sense of humor gratified. All of these desires will be filled by "Happy Hooligan." The clever concept of Frank Dumont's which is more or less based on F. Opper's funny cartoons in the New York Journal and Examiner, has been brought up-to-date, and has been given a splendid new dress of costumes and scenery at a cost of \$25,000. Among the great features of the show, aside from the score of pretty girls and the great list of comedians and specialty artists, is the much talked-of diamond ballet, in which twenty of the most stunning show girls in the profession appear resplendent in costumes of black silk velvet, so heavily embroidered and trimmed with brilliant jewels that they are positively dazzling to the eye. In the company presenting "Happy Hooligan" this season, may be mentioned Emma Siegel, Little Bendell, Barbara Burns, John Price, Eddie Coe, the Church Quartet, the Novelty Trio and Charles Saunders.



ALBERTA GALLATIN WHO PLAYS IN "THE GHOSTS."

is a hearty laugh in store. For the benefit of those who are not familiar with the organization, it may be briefly said that the company is one of thirty people; about ten good principals and a large singing chorus usually covers the personnel of the cast. There is scarcely any dramatic work and sightliness. The scenery is all new for the present production and the wardrobe is as rich and varied as in the most offerings of this company. The cast includes Joe Kelly, Inman and Vincent, Dolly DeVine, Charles Burkhardt, Lew Kelly, Pierce and Roslyn, Bert Wainwright and The Great Burka Comedy Four Quartette. The engagement is for two nights, next Tuesday and Wednesday, January 12 and 13.

GIRL WITH GREEN EYES.

Ira Conquest in the title role of "The Girl With The Green Eyes" has made a great hit in San Francisco and undoubtedly her Oakland admirers are

land theater and the Novelty circuit. Next week there will be all new faces at this theater and an entire new set of moving pictures.

Among the artists to appear will be Lane and Suzinetta, the Quo Vadis gladiators, Mile. Suzinetta being the only lady cannon ball jumper in the world. These clever people come direct from New York where they have played a highly successful engagement.

The admission to the theater is 10 cents. There are performances every afternoon and at least two every evening.

LYRIC THEATER.

On Monday evening next the new Lyric Theater will open its doors on Twelfth street, near Broadway, to the public.

Among the artists who will be seen on the opening night are: Clouston and Richmond, comedy sketch artists; "Ratline" Kelly, greatest of all soft-



"I GUESS I AINT IT." SCENE IN "HAPPY HOOLIGAN."

anxiously waiting for her engagement here on Monday and Tuesday, January 12 and 13.

MRS. LANGTRY COMING.

One of the important attractions which is coming to the Macdonough Theatre in a few weeks is the "Jersey Lily," Mrs. Langtry, who her admirers declare is as beautiful as ever, and whose vehicle, "Mrs. Deering's Divorce" is apparently making a hit. It had a run of several weeks at the Savoy Theatre, New York, and has since been on tour. "Mrs. Deering's Divorce" is a three-act comedy by Percy Fendall. Mrs. Langtry is supported by the Imperial Theatre Company of London.

NOVELTY THEATER.

The audiences at the Novelty Theater this week have filled the house at every performance. The bill has been an exceptionally good one, and such will be the case right along at this favorite vaudeville house. Colonel Lubelski is sparing no expense in obtaining the best talent for his Oak-

land dancers and story tellers: Ben Piquo, comedy dancer; artist; Melitnoate Sisters, charming singing and dancing soubrettes; Will King, famous Hebrew impersonator; Raymond G. Baldwin, singer of illustrated songs, and new moving pictures.

The admission price will be 10 cents at all times and there will be performance every afternoon and at least two shows every evening, with extra performances on Saturday, Sunday and holiday nights. Children will be admitted in the afternoon for 5 cents. The program at all times will be a strictly moral one and the management will cater to the patronage of ladies and children.

The opening night will undoubtedly be a gala one. The house is up-to-date and modern in every way.

Automobiling in the Woolly West.

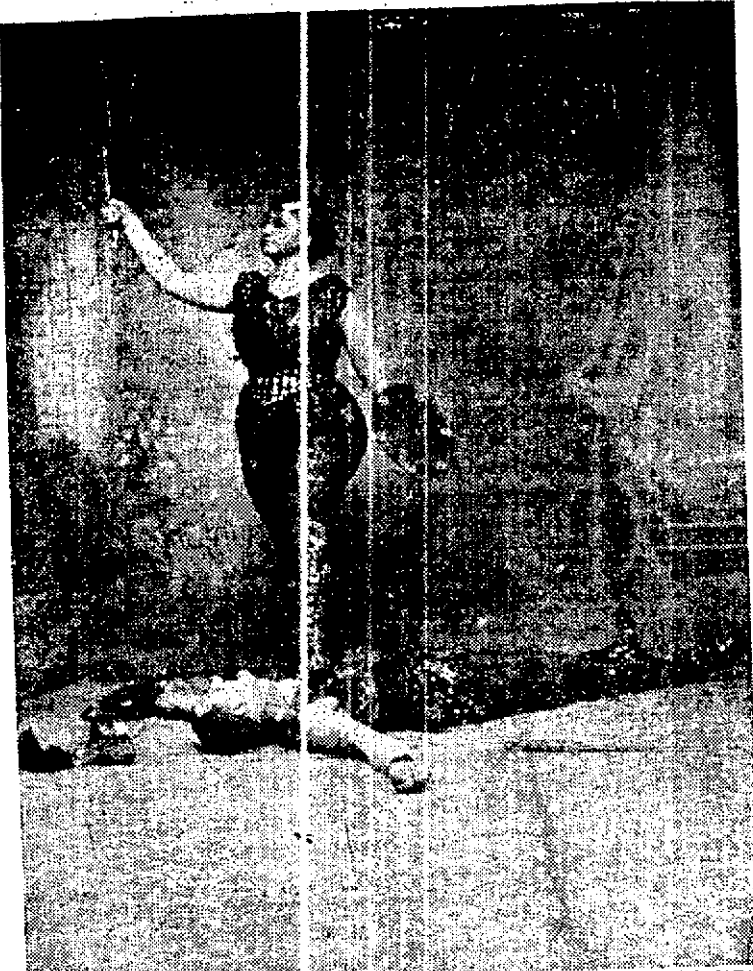
(Chicago Tribune.) Jimmie Zipper (touring through Arizona in his Red Garret)—Ah, I say, parsnip! What are the—speed regulations in your little city? Marshal of Lone Pup—Well, mister, automobiles hain't allowed out yer to go faster'n a bullet.

BEST FOR THE BOWELS

If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day you're ill or will be. Keep your bowels open, and be well. For, in the shape of a pleurotic or mild poison, is dangerous. The smoothest, easiest, most perfect way of keeping the bowels clear and clean is to take



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LANE AND SUZINETTA WHO APPEARS AT THE NOVELTY NEXT WEEK.

A WINTER CONCERT.

The band was madly playing Some classic thing or other The brasses, with their braying The woodwind tried to smother Trombone with drum disputed; Cornets the air were sending. "Fortissimo!" they roared And gave no hint of ending.

Then, all of a sudden, With a bliff! bang! crash! The music ceased!

And people who were telling The news to people near them Discovered they were yelling So everyone could hear them; While scandal must astounding Which they had been revealing Went roaring and resounding Against the walls and ceiling.

Everyone heard it, And coughed, blushed or sneezed When the band stopped.

"He kissed her twice—I caught them!" The baron is a free hand!

"His husband never bought them!" "Since then they never speak!" "But the old man has money!"

"She's in Dakota now!" "Her singing's simply funny!" "Last night I won a thousand!"

"God, how's that?" "I have a date with May!" "He dropped it on the races!"

"She cheats at bridge!" "That fool engaged to Gertrude?" "She never had a waist!"

"Why, man, she's over than paste!" "She drinks it down like water!" "He never pays a bill!"

"Oh, she's a grand daughter!" "They're going to break the will!" "Whew! Isn't this a rabble!"

"They're both at fault, I think!" "I can endure her gibber!" "Come, let's go get a drink!"

All in fortissimo, And in fifty different keys, They shouted it, Then there was a hush, And everybody wanted To murder the leader.

And the band Didn't get a hand. —Town Topics

"PURITAN ROAD—A. D. 1629."

"Puritan Road," by the roadside sign, "Sixteen hundred and twenty-nine. Not then so smooth and not so wide. No lawns sloped down to the ocean's tide. No gallant tooled by on rubber tires. With whip at the giant the vogue requires."

But with no clock ready and plain ox-goad, The Puritan traveled the Puritan Road.

'Twas a fearsome road in that year of grace. Ere the fierce forest creatures fled man's face. And none knew that savage lay somewhere in wait.

Till an arrow hissed grimly his message of hate, Though worse, if you read your Bible aright, Were the splits and witch's that flew

Fair maiden, whose golf bag's your heaviest load. Dare you travel alone the Puritan Road?

For fleshy foes there were powder and lead. 'Twas the Adversary he held in dread. So with Scripture and prayer and solemn song.

He kept his soul as he far'd along, Till, like sword blade giving back glance for glance, His conscience reflected God's countenance.

Cavalier, on thoroughbred docket to the mode, Think you also to travel the Puritan Road?

He grew a bit twisted and gnarled and Fighting the winters and famine and sin. But touched like pine by the hurricane's scored.

As he tightened his grip on the pledge of the Lord. For wherever great things are to win or to do,

'Tis a faith, not a fad, that carries men Gay youths, by a flood-tide of ease overflowed, Who'll travel today the Puritan Road?

W. S. C. in Boston Transcript.

DONEGAL.

Sure Donegal's a lonesome place, The nightingales forgot your voice, The meadows miss your feet, my dear! And all the roses in the glen.

Along the lane and down the glen, They're counting every day and night Till ye'll be comin' home again.

They'll watch for ye across the fields, The lassies while they're tossin' hay; They lost ye half a world away! I never lost ye, dear, at all.

So close ye wedded pair of me! I stole ye from amongst them all And hid ye in the heart of me!

Your face looks up from every flower, I can't forget your eyes at all! They're with me on the darkest nights— They light the ways of Donegal!

And, when on summer nights we danced All up and down the grassy lea, It wasn't Kitty Connelly.

I saw that curstest feminist me!

What's all the fame and name men cry, Beside the love ye'll give me then? Take all the gold in all the world— Give me my collier back again! What, did ye set your foot across Me heart, and take no thought at all? Sure just one footprint of your own Is worth the hours of Donegal's.

—Lucia Chamberlain in Ainslee's.

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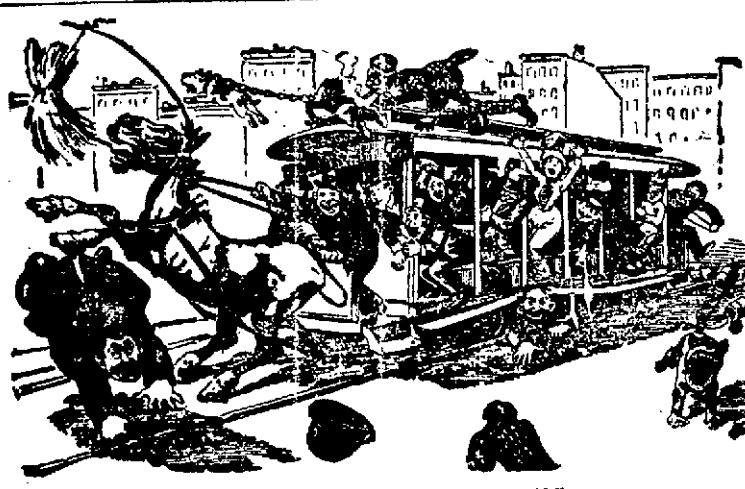
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SATURDAY, JANUARY 9, 1904.

PERSONAL.

WORK wanted—Japanese House Cleaning Co. Phone 574. 604 East 12th st., East Oakland.
MADAM LENORE, Phone Black 359.
We have moved to our new quarters, 461 Franklin st., Cor. 12th. Company, successors to French's Corset House.
SAN FRANCISCO WINDOW CLEANING CO.—Special prices on weekly or monthly cleaning of windows, show cases, etc. Office, 1000 Broadway, between 10th and 11th. Telephone Black 162.
TUT LEE (formerly at 602 20th st., cor. Grove) now at 715 San Pablo ave., first-class washing and ironing; fitting and making ready-made dresses.
MRS. ADA, Wonderful Gifted Healer, cures all diseases without knife or drugs. Part 2 and 3, 1055 Washington st., Oakland.
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MONEY TO LOAN—ON furniture, pianos, diamonds, etc. without removal or publicity; any amount, low rates. Room 465 8th st. 2.
ON pianos, furniture and real estate, at rates unexcelled, without publicity. W. F. O'BANION, Office, 453 8th st. 2.
FOR a strictly reliable private place to buy or sell second-hand furniture, or jewelry. Same can be returned in monthly payments. See A. W. Berry, 110 Washington st. 2.
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FOR SALE—Reasonable; two Tetatuna trunks, one 21x14x10, one 21x14x10, almost new, complete with drawers, etc. Apply afternoons 2955 Clement ave. Berkeley.
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FOR SALE—A first-class second-hand delivery wagon. Kiel & Evans Co. x
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COMPETENT cook desires position. Call from 12 to 4 p. m. at 1209 Market st. x
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COMPETENT girl wishes position as waitress or chambermaid in hotel. Apply 1455 Broadway. x
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EXPERIENCED lady wants engagements as waitress, private families, parties, dinners, etc. Address A. B. C. Box 25, Golden Gate P. O., Oakland. x
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FOR best female help and farm help see J. Armstrong, coal office, 615 11th st. x

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WANTED—Girl for general housework; must be capable in family; references. Call 870 East 18th st. x
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JAPANESE boy wants position as housekeeper in family or store. 1110 1/2 12th st. Tel. Laura 195.
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TWO new desirable houses 8 rooms each. 411 11th St., corner 18th st. 1.
FOR RENT—5-room cottage, new; large grounds. 1000 Broadway, between 10th and 11th. County road, Fruitvale. x
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SUNNY unfurnished rooms for house-keeping. 604 San Pablo ave. x
THREE unfurnished rooms; 47. 418 6th st. x
TWO or 3 large sunny unfurnished rooms; bath, hot and cold water, etc. 484 21st st. x
TWO sunny unfurnished rooms to let. 320-B Telegraph ave. x

FURNISHED ROOMS—TO LET.

NICELY furnished front rooms, suitable for 2. 761 14th st. x
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LARGE sunny rooms; reasonable. 726 14th st. x
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LOWER sunny flat of 3 rooms and bath; very desirable and convenient in location and electric cars. 918 Allice st. x
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\$5500—Fine house, 5 rooms and bath; lake frontage; beautiful view; lot 50x151; a splendid home; a good investment. x
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\$7500—Elegant modern 2-story house 11 rooms and bath; beautiful terrace lot 100x150; north; corner elevated position; lot 12,500; large. x
\$2650—Cottage 7 rooms and bath; large sunny lot; wide open walk; entrance beautified by rock work and shrubbery; surrounded by magnificent dwellings; in a desirable locality; near 8th and Linden sts. x
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\$2500—Modern Colonial, 6 rooms and bath; complete; level; detail small payment down; balance as rent. x
\$2750—Nice house 3 rooms and bath; lot 35x105; convenient to local; north of 8th st.; must be sold. x
\$2650—Modern cottage, 8 rooms and bath; 35 ft. frontage; near Center st. station. x
\$2800—Modern bay-window cottage 6 rooms, bath and basement; lot 50x103; 5 minutes' walk to City Hall. x
\$2500—Pretty bay-window cottage, 5 rooms and bath; good rental; near new Postoffice. x
\$2900—Modern 2-story, 8 rooms and bath; lot 33x150; near 35th and Grove sts.; easy terms. x
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Lots of every size and price in every locality. x
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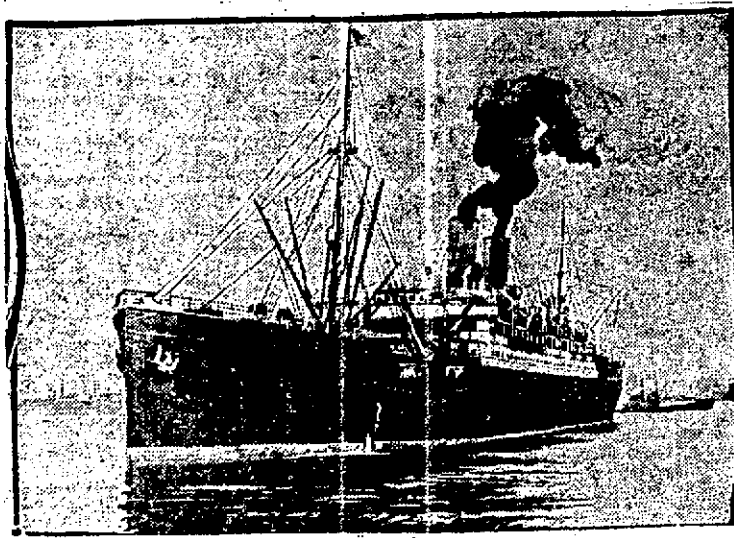
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Collier's Weekly. "Collier's Weekly" is an illustrated review of the world's events. It is published at 416-424 West Thirtieth street, New York City.

Leslie's Weekly. "Leslie's Weekly" for the current week contains among other charming features, an article on "The Evolution of the Cane Walk." The magazine is published by the Judge Company, 225 Fourth avenue, New York City.

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Atlantic Monthly. "The Atlantic Monthly" for January contains among other items of interest, the first three parts of an interesting novel entitled "The Common Lot" by Robert Herrick. The magazine is published by Houghton-Mifflin and Company, 4 Park street, Boston, Mass.

Engineering Magazine. "The Engineering Magazine" is an industrial review of all kinds of engineering, industrial economy, railways, etc. It is published at 120-122 Liberty street, New York City.

Cassier's Magazine. "Cassier's Magazine" is an illustrated magazine devoted to engineering, industry, steam, electricity, power, etc. It is published at 23 West Twenty-ninth street, New York City.

Country Gentleman. "The Country Gentleman" is a weekly magazine devoted to every department of agriculture, horticulture, domestic economy and stock raising. It is published by Luther Tucker & Son, 395 Broadway, Albany, N. Y.

Home and Flowers. "Home and Flowers" is a weekly magazine devoted to home topics and flower culture. It is published by the Home Publishing Company, Springfield, Ohio.

Architectural Record. Among the feature articles in the January number of "The Architectural Record" are "Individualism in Architecture," "The New Theatres of New York" and "Gordon Hall." The magazine is published at Broadway and Fifty-fourth street, New York City.

The Critic. "The Critic" is an illustrated monthly review of literature, art and life. It is published at 27 and 29 West Twenty-third street, New York City.

Harper's Weekly. "Harper's Weekly" is a magazine of up-to-date news. It is devoted especially to politics, important current events, books and bookmen, etc. It is published in New York City.

New Century Path. "The New Century Path" is devoted to twentieth century problems, art, music, literature, fiction, etc. It is published at Point Loma, Cal.

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